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Representations to Madrid from Alfonso's Diplomats at Various Capitals Made Public.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The Associated Press has been placed in possession of the following dispatches, which have never before been published, and which are unquestionably authentic. They comprise the particular telegram of the Spanish government to its representatives at several of the European courts, and excerpts from the replies:

The Minister of State. To His Majesty's representatives abroad. Circular telegram:

MADRID, March 25, 1898.

"The Spanish representative in Washington has just reported that he is informed by the United States government that on Monday next the representation of the American commission on the Maine catastrophe will be brought before Congress without previously communicating the same to us or having the Spanish report communicated to them.

For the reasons stated in my telegram of yesterday, and in view of the fact of the submission of that matter to a popular chamber, thus taking it out of the jurisdiction of the executive power—a step which, in our opinion, may provoke a conflict between the two nations—the Spanish government deems it a duty and considers it to be in accordance with the principles governing international relations between Christian powers to communicate these facts to that government and to request its friendly offices (to induce) the President of the United States to maintain, within the jurisdiction of the Executive, everything bearing on the questions of differences with Spain, in order to bring them to an honorable settlement.

And so convinced is Spain that reason is with her and that she is acting with prudence, that if the above-mentioned end is not attained, she does not hesitate to ask the advice of the great powers, and in the last term their arbitration for the settlement of the difficulties now pending and those which may, in the near future, disturb the peace which the Spanish nation wishes to preserve, as far as compatible with her honor and the integrity of her territory; this not only for her own sake, but also for the consequences which the war, once begun, might have for the other countries of Europe and America.

You will read this telegram to the Minister for Foreign Affairs of that country.

[Signed] GULLON.

The following is Castillo's reply:

His Majesty's Ambassador. To the Minister of State. Telegram:

PARIS, March 23, 1898.

This afternoon I have had a long conference with the Minister for Foreign Affairs, and have communicated to him your circular telegram concerning the last verbal note presented by the Minister of the United States. . . . I told him that, as the crisis has reached its highest point and demands rapid action, I thought that, besides actively cooperating to obtain European concert, the most efficacious thing in these moments would be that France should address England, invoking the traditions of international politics regarding Cuba from the beginning of the century, and proposing that both nations act in common with a view to peace.

The Minister for Foreign Affairs accepted this indication in principle, and asked me to give him time to think and to submit the matter to the council of ministers.

[Signed] LEON Y CASTILLO.

The following was received from Rome:

His Majesty's Ambassador at the Holy See. To the Minister of State. Telegram.

ROME, March 25, 1898.

I have communicated to Cardinal Rampolla your telegram of last night relative to the declaration received from the Minister Plenipotentiary of the United States. His Eminence expressed himself much impressed by the statements which I made to him. . . . He approves of the answer which you intend to give the American government; praises the calmness and moderation of our government, and recommends that we endeavor to induce the European cabinets to use their influence in Washington to avoid a war. He is convinced that France, whose form of government cannot inspire suspicions to the United States, is animated by the most friendly sentiments toward Spain. He will inform the Pope of my manifestations, and assures me we have the affection of the Holy See. . . .

[Signed] MERRY.

This was received from London:

His Majesty's Ambassador. To the Minister of State. Telegram:

LONDON, March 26, 1898.

The Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs writes me that Mr. Balfour has taken into earnest consideration your telegram and peaceful purposes of the Spanish government; that the British Cabinet sees with regret that any incident may unnecessarily disturb the relations between Spain and the United States. . . . Mr. Balfour telegraphs to the British Ambassador in Washington and directs him, if he finds an opportunity, to inform the Minister (the Secretary of State) of the conciliatory attitude of the Spanish government. . . .

[Signed] RASCON.

From Vienna the following was received:

His Majesty's Ambassador. To the Minister of State. Telegram:

VIENNA, March 27, 1898.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs believes it necessary that the report of the Spanish Commission on the Maine be published as a counter-position to the American report, and in order to facilitate arbitration. . . . He considers the maintenance of peace to be one of the most important questions in Europe today, and thinks that diplomatic action should be principally based thereon. . . .

[Signed] HOYOS.

From the Russian capital came the following:

His Majesty's Ambassador. To the Minister of State. Telegram:

ST. PETERSBURG, March 27, 1898.

I have just held a long conference with the Minister of Foreign Relations. . . . He expressed great sympathy for Spain and for the Queen, and assured me that the Emperor of Russia was animated by similar sentiments.

[Signed] VILLAGENZALO.

Ambassador Maso at Rome sent the following:

His Majesty's Ambassador. To the Minister of State. Telegram:

ROME, March 27, 1898.

I have just had a conference with the Minister for Foreign Affairs, to whom I have explained in detail the inconceivable conduct of the government of the United States as compared with the prudence and moderation of the Spanish government. I then read to him a French translation of your telegram. He answered me with visible conviction that the Italian government, being animated by the most friendly sentiments toward the Queen Regent and the Spanish nation, will immediately act in the direction you indicate. He supposes that our government will have addressed all the great powers in the same manner and considers that Italy should reach an understanding with them. . . . On leaving, he repeated his affectionate sympathy and good-will toward our country. . . .

[Signed] MASO.

CREDIT GIVEN TO RUSSIA.

ENGLAND HELD IN CHECK.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PARIS, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The following statement is made by an official who held a very high position during the early days of the Spanish-American War, and it is undoubtedly authentic:

"The Spanish government believed that Queen Victoria would support any step taken with a view to preventing the war and coming to the aid of the Queen Regent. It attributed at that time, perhaps, too great importance to the intervention of the Queen in the councils of the British government. It was not ignorant of the fact that Mr. Chamberlain was in agreement with Lord Salisbury in the desire to endeavor to render the United States a signal service, but information of a very confidential character which reached it conveyed to the Madrid government the idea that any mission of pacification would be well received by England. English society entertained the most hostile spirit toward the United States. It had not [illegible] forget the [illegible] London [illegible] to support the Spaniards.

"Thus the principal diplomatic effort of Spain was brought to bear on the Central European powers, and more particularly Russia. France and Germany were first well disposed to the Austrian proposal, and an accord of the continental powers would have undoubtedly been possible had Russia given her support.

"England was not, therefore, called upon to declare itself. The sympathy of certain statesmen in the Conservative Cabinet were certainly for the United States, but they were not required to display them. They afterward insinuated that their role had been to hold Europe in check, to the advantage of the United States. As is seen from the foregoing, they did nothing of the kind."

GERMANY ATTACKS ENGLAND.

LATTER HOSTILE TO AMERICA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS. P.M.]

BERLIN, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The German Foreign Office confirms the substantial accuracy of the subjoined statement which the Kreuz Zeitung prints today, relative to Germany's course toward the United States during the war with Spain. The correspondent of the Associated Press understands that the article was prepared by Prof. Schiemann, professor of history at the Berlin University, who enjoys special official sources of information. After a preface quoting the statement made by a British Foreign Office official to a representative of the Associated Press, January 21 last, it says:

"Almost exactly four years ago, the Spanish Ambassador her asked Germany whether Germany would lead in action against the United States for the protection of the monarchic principle. The answer was a definite refusal, and the same answer was given a month later, or about the middle of March, when the invitation reached Germany to participate in the intervention undertaken upon the initiative of Austria. This was in the weeks following the sad catastrophe of the Maine, when it was believed intervention would facilitate an understanding between the United States and Spain. Nevertheless, our government commissioned Herr Von Radowitz, the German Ambassador to Spain, to inform the Madrid government that Germany was not in a position to prevent the Spanish-American War.

"After that, several attempts were made to win Germany, or the Dreibund, for intervention, in which the Pope was especially active. The final result was that Dr. Von Holleben (German Ambassador to the United States,) was instructed to join in the step proposed by Austria, only in case all the other five great powers participated.

"We are unable to state the details of how the united action came about. At any rate, the collective note was handed to the officials at Washington, April 7, advising a peaceable settlement, and was signed by England, France, Italy, Austria, Russia and Germany. It was believed for a week that the war would be averted. Gen. Blanco received orders from Madrid to offer the Cuban insurgents an armistice, for Spain was resolved to give them far-reaching autonomy and to arrive at a settlement of the Maine question through arbitration. Diplomatic circles, however, entertained no illusions, and when England, April 14,

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WASHINGTON.

MILLION IN DOUBT.

Los Angeles Must Go on Record.

Chamber of Commerce Asked for Opinion.

Four Public Building Bills are Competing in Congress.

Policy of the New Secretary of the Treasury—War Revenue Struggle.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The situation regarding the Los Angeles public building is somewhat peculiar and liable to become complicated, unless a definite policy shall be decided on. The Treasury Department for several weeks has been approving material for improvements to the building under the old appropriation, and the contractors in charge have been sub-letting contracts in the usual manner, without regard to the fact that there is now before Congress a bill increasing the appropriation for this work. Supervising Architect Taylor said recently that his office could do nothing other than proceed with the work under the present appropriation and contracts until it has received word from somewhere to stop, and up to this time no one had requested the Treasury Department to stop the work.

Some progress is being made toward getting Congress to consider the bill for a larger appropriation for the building, but it is too early in the session yet to say [illegible]

In [illegible] wrote to the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce, asking it to express itself upon the matter to the California delegation in Washington.

A member of the House Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds said this evening that his committee had commenced consideration of building bills in a general way, and had informally reached the conclusion that it would give but one public building to each State at this session of Congress. He said that this action would authorize an appropriation for but one public building there.

At the present time there have been introduced bills appropriating money for four public buildings in California. The Los Angeles bill calls for $1,000,000; that of San Francisco for $1,500,000, and this bill has already been passed by the Senate; a bill for Fresno for $150,000, and for Eureka for $150,000. If the present intention of the committee is to stand, three of these bills will never get through Congress. Of course the choice will lie between San Francisco and Los Angeles. The bill for San Francisco is for building a new customhouse in place of the present structure.

BABCOCK THE BLOCKADER.

FIGHT AGAINST TAX REPEAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Babcock of Wisconsin, author of the bill reducing the duties upon steel, is being pressed tremendously to withdraw the bill. Today final pressure was applied him in the form of a two-hour's interview between Speaker Henderson and himself, in which the entire ground was covered. Mr. Babcock emerged from the interviews with somewhat shaken nerves, but his determination to withstand the majority of his party in the House was still firm. As a consequence of his attitude, it has been decided to postpone action on the War Revenue Bill until it is certain the rule for its consideration can be adopted without question. If it can be arranged that a rule can be adopted providing for debate in committee of the whole, but without the privilege of amending the bill, such rule will be presented. If this cannot be done, a rule will be presented to consider the bill in the House as in the committee of the whole, which will leave with the Speaker the privilege of recognizing debaters, and Mr. Babcock will not be recognized.

If it should develop that neither rule can be adopted, the War Revenue Repeal Bill will not come up in the House this session. To afford time to get the sense of the House, the Legislative Appropriation Bill will tomorrow displace the Oleomargarine Bill. For several days debate will be allowed on it, and then two days more on the Oleomargarine Bill. Other bills will come up, if necessary, and no rule will be brought in for consideration of the War Revenue Bill until it is assured that the bill will be adopted.

A member of the Ways and Means Committee summed up the situation tonight as follows: There never has been so universal a demand for any action by Congress as there has been for the repeal of the war revenue tax. When the original bill passed, in the beginning of the war, it was given out and understood that the measure was temporary, and a solemn promise was made to repeal the tax as soon as it appeared they were unnecessary. Last Congress, when a partial repeal was made, the people were informed that at an early day Congress would repeal the balance. Hence, at the opening Congress, a universal demand was made that it should carry out the promise. No man had been so clamorous as Mr. Babcock, who claimed to be the special champion of some of the interests involved.

When the bill was ready to be repealed, like a clap of thunder out of a clear sky, came Mr. Babcock's proposition to open the entire subject of tariff discussion and to revise the Dingley schedule and throw the business of the country into chaos during a tariff debate in Congress. A repeal bill nevertheless was reported, and now he is holding it up. He demands as a condition to the repeal of the war revenue tax that the House shall go into a tariff debate, with a free hand to every one to demand an opportunity to amend any schedules of the Dingley law.

The Ways and Means Committee has asked the Committee on Rules to bring in a rule to provide for taking up the repeal bill; its ample consideration in the House, and its final passage, but preventing amendment, and thereby avoiding the danger of a long-drawn-out tariff discussion. Of course, the repeal bill will not be taken up until a rule can be adopted, and the merchants of the country interested in the repeal of the war taxes will soon know what the trouble is, and where the blame lies.

RECIPROCITY TREATIES.

WILL BE TAKEN UP.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today had a special meeting for the consideration of the question of taking up the reciprocity treaties negotiated by Commissioner Kasson and acting upon them. The majority of the members of the committee decided in favor of taking up the treaties, and they will accordingly be considered soon. This decision brings again into view the Jamaican reciprocity treaty, which is opposed by the Southern California fruit growers. It is quite probable that this treaty will be made a test of action, and if it fails, no other will be considered.

MARSHAL OF ARIZONA NOT YET ESTABLISHED.

DANIELS IS TOLD TO KEEP HANDS OFF THE OFFICE.

[illegible] Brewery at San Jose [illegible]

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The case of H. S. Daniels, nominated by the President for Marshal of the Territory of Arizona and whose nomination has been reconsidered by the Senate after being confirmed, was again discussed in secret session of the Senate for a couple of hours today. This morning Senator Hoar, chairman of the Senate Judicial Committee, went to the White House and had a talk with the President about the nomination. At Senator Hoar's suggestion the President started an investigation of the charges against Daniels by telegraphing to friends in Wyoming and Colorado, where Daniels has lived, to ask them to look up the man's record. When the case came up in the Senate this was all explained by Senator Hoar, who said that if the President had made a mistake in nominating Daniels, he would rectify it.

It developed, even, in the Senate that Daniels will still get the appointment if the charge of stealing cannot be substantiated against him. There are other charges, but the Senate will disregard these. One of them is that Daniels killed a man at one time, but it developed today that he had to kill the man or be killed himself.

It was explained in the Senate today why the President appointed Daniels. When Roosevelt and Daniels were climbing San Juan Hill together and bullets were flying thick, there was discovered, near the crest of the hill, a little band of Spanish sharpshooters, hidden behind bushes, and picking off American soldiers. Col. Roosevelt found out just where the sharpshooters were located, and, calling Daniels, whom he knew to be absolutely without fear, said: "Daniels, can you get some men with you and drive out those sharpshooters from behind those bushes?"

Daniels said he could. He gathered a few daring men and started. It was about ten to one that Daniels and his little band would all be killed, but they were not. They made a Wild West rush at the Spaniards and killed several of them. The rest fled.

When that story of daring was told, the Senators quit discussing the case. As one Senator said, "Maybe the President has made a mistake, but he has shown us again by this appointment that he himself has red blood, and that he admires it in others."

DANIELS NOTIFIED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In the executive session of the Senate today the nomination of Benjamin Daniels to be Marshal of the Territory of Arizona was continued. Senator Hoar, as chairman of the Committee on Judiciary, which reported favorably on the nomination, explained that Daniels's commission already had been issued, rendering it impracticable to adopt Senator Teller's motion to reconsider the vote by which he had been confirmed.

Further explanation was made to the effect that the President had begun an examination into the case on his own responsibility by wiring to Cheyenne for particulars concerning the man who was imprisoned there and who is supposed to have been Daniels, and by telegraphing to Daniels himself, instructing him not to enter on

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PILLARS OF FLAME.

Gas Main Bursts in Chicago.

Thirteen Lives Lost and Scores Injured.

Explosion Follows Explosion Shooting Up Manholes.

Victims Caught in Houses That Burned Like Tinder, Cutting Off Escape.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Thirteen lives were lost, many persons slightly injured, two buildings at No. 37 Twenty-second street were wrecked, and $50,000 damage done by an explosion of gas tonight at the intersection of Twenty-second street and Archer avenue. The dead:

OTTO TROSTLE, 39 years, butcher.
MRS. OTTO TROSTLE, 30 years.
OTTO TROSTLE, JR., 2 years of age.
LENA TROSTLE, 7 years of age.
ANNA TROSTLE, 9 years of age.
MAMIE TROSTLE, 11 years of age.
FRED TROSTLE, butcher, nephew of Otto Trostle, 23 years of age.
SOPHIE KNIGHT, domestic in Trostle family.
MARY ROSENTHAL, 32 years of age, No. 2111 Purple street.
MRS. M. KAUFERT, No. 374 Twenty-second street.
EDWARD KAUFERT, 14 years of age.
MAMIE KAUFERT, 4 years of age.
ANDREW KOLB, roomer with Mrs. Kaufert.

Among the injured are:

SING WAH, blown through window; cut and bruised.

MRS W. J. M'LEOD, cut and badly bruised.

TIMOTHY MERNAHAN, fireman, hands badly burned.

J. P. COLLINS, street car conductor, blown through car from end to end, cut and slight internal injuries.

A. BARNES, street car conductor, blown from car into street, badly bruised.

The list of injured may be extended to seventy-five or 100, as there were many persons in the neighborhood who sustained slight injuries from flying glass or slight bruises caused by falls, but whose names have not been reported.

Only one of the bodies of the dead, that of Bitie Lena Trostle, has been recovered. All that is known of the fate of the other twelve reported dead is that they are thought to have been—most of them are known to have been—in the demolished houses, and since the explosion no trace of them has been found.

The cause of the explosion is unknown, and it has not yet been determined whether it was sewer gas or illuminating gas. Mains filled with the latter were instantly ablaze after the explosion, and a succession of explosions followed the flames, shooting up through the manholes in the street. It will be difficult to ascertain whether illuminating gas exploded, or whether the mains were broken by an explosion of sewer gas.

Many people living in the vicinity believe that the first explosion was in a main at Twenty-second street and Archer avenue.

Two other explosions of gas followed so quickly that it was hard to distinguish them. The first to explode was a main at Twenty-second street and Archer avenue. Then the manhole half a block south on Archer avenue was thrown into the air by a loud explosion. Flames leaped and roared from the hole. The fire spread below the street, and smaller manholes were blown into the air. The flames from the first gas main shot high into the air, and reached, with the aid of the wind, the Trustle butcher shop. The building was a three-story frame structure, and it had been weakened and nearly wrecked by the shock. It is supposed that the occupants of the building were knocked unconscious or were too panic-stricken to rush from the place.

The flames caught the weather-worn timbers. The dry and rotting wood was food for the fire, and in an instant the flames had enveloped the structure. With a roar the buildings collapsed, and the occupants, with one exception, were carried with it to the basement.

Window glass throughout the neighborhood was broken, and bottles and glassware in the dwellings and stores were thrown to the floor and broken.

Many persons in buildings near the explosions were knocked down. Scores of men and women many of them carrying children, rushed to the streets. They were greeted by the glare of the fire from the manholes. Fearing further explosions, the people rushed down the street, many of the women screaming with fright. On several street cars near the place the windows were smashed and the passengers severely shaken up. When people in the cars saw flames gush from the ground, all hands rushed for the doors. A number of persons were bruised and knocked down in the excitement. One car filled with passengers was thrown from the tracks.

Adjoining the Trostle building was a two-story frame building, in which John McLeod had a saloon. It vanished in the same second as the meat market. It was reported that one or two people were killed here, but the story could not be substantiated.

In the ruins of the building occupied by Trostle and McLeod the flames burned so fiercely that even though the inmates had not been killed by the first force of the explosion they must have met a quick death by fire.

Close to the Trostle building stood the People's Hospital, a small affair, which had a few patients. The building was badly racked, and every window in it blown out, but none of the patients were injured. One of the hospital attendants sustained slight cuts, caused by flying glass. The patients were hastily removed to safer grounds.

OTHER BODIES RECOVERED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—At 5:30 o'clock this evening, the searchers in the ruins uncovered the dead bodies of Thierry, Krenning and McBride, the last in the ruins. All three bodies lay close together. Apparently they had been caught in the crash as they started to ascend the stairs to rescue their imprisoned companions on the upper floors.

BAILEY RESIGNED.

Passage by Wool Growers of Resolution Against McCleary Bill Made Him Throw Up His Job.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HELENA (Mont.) Feb. 5.—A crisis was reached in the Wool Growers' Convention, when a resolution was adopted indorsing the manufacture and use of oleomargarine, and pledging the support of the association to assist in the defeat of the McCleary Oleomargarine Bill now pending before Congress. As a result of the passage of the resolution, Secretary Bailey tendered his resignation, and immediately left his desk. Secretary Bailey is dairy commissioner of Oregon.

DYNAMITED BANK AND KILLED SHERIFF.

UNAIDED THE BRAVE OFFICER ATTACKED BAND OF OUTLAWS.

Trail of Blood Indicates That His Heroism Was not Altogether Ineffective, but When Help Arrived His Lips Were Sealed Forever.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

EORT SMITH (Ark.) Feb. 5.—Robbers at 2:30 o'clock this morning, at Clarksville, Ark., blew up the safe of the Bank of Clarksville with dynamite, secured a sum estimated at $5000, killed John Powers, Sheriff of Johnson county, who attempted to capture them, and escaped before the citizens were aware of their presence.

There appears to have been from four to six men in the gang. They tied their horses on the outskirts of the town, and made their way unobserved to the bank, which is situated on the north side of the public square. After gaining an entrance they destroyed the safe with dynamite, secured what money was not destroyed, and made their way to the street. There they were confronted by Sheriff Powers, who opened fire upon them. The robbers returned the fire, using both revolvers and Winchesters. Powers stood his ground, and emptied two revolvers before he was killed, although it is believed he was mortally wounded by the first volley from the robbers. When citizens arrived a little later Powers was dead, and there was no trace of the robbers except a trail of blood that indicated that the Sheriff had wounded one or perhaps more of his assailants.

Powers roomed on the second floor of an adjoining building, and had been awakened by the explosion.

The bank officials today were unable to give the exact amount of plunder secured, but stated that the bank was insured against loss. As late as 11 o'clock today no attempt had been made to arrest the robbers except to wire all adjoining towns to be on the lookout for them.

Powers had been Sheriff of Johnson county for twelve years, and was known to be a fearless man and a crack shot.

MANAGER GOT THE COIN.

Clara Morris and Her Husband Stranded at Des Moines.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Clara Morris and her husband, Frank C. Harriott, were relieved this morning from an embarrassing situation by the arrival of funds from Omaha. The disappearance of Thomas Broadhurst, manager for Miss Morris, with all the cash, was responsible for the difficulty. The absence of Broadhurst caused Miss Morris to break her engagement to lecture at Omaha, last night, as she could not get there. Harriott tried every way to raise money to pay the bills and buy tickets to Omaha. He even offered to pawn some of Miss Morris's jewels, but being unable to make any satisfactory arrangement the lecturer and her husband had to await the arrival of funds.

Miss Morris and her husband put in two very miserable days after the discovery of Broadhurst's disappearance. The actress appeared here Monday night; the proceeds were turned over to Broadhurst, and he has not been seen since. Not trace of him can be found.

Word from Chicago says F. Wright Newman, under whose management Miss Morris lectured in Chicago, was not greatly surprised when informed of Manager Broadhurst's disappearance.

"My dealings with Mr. Broadhurst were not of a very satisfactory nature," said he. "Miss Morris experienced the same difficulty. We could not locate him while he was in Chicago. Miss Morris's embarrassment can only be temporary, as her husband is wealthy, being a relative of the Havemeyers of New York."

SOUTH AFRICA.

HAS DE WET ON TOBOGGAN.

Kitchener Captures His Last Gun.

Hard Lines for Noted Boer Commander.

Field Cornet Wessels Falls in Battle—Other British Successes.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The British pursuit of Gen. De Wet has been successful to the extent that his last gun has been captured, and Commandant Wessels, one of his principal lieutenants, has been routed. Lord Kitchener sent the news in a dispatch from Pretoria, dated Tuesday, February 4, as follows:

"Byng's column, while proceeding toward Liebenburgviei, after a night march, attacked and routed a considerable force of the enemy under Commandant Wessels. We captured a fifteen-pounder and a pompom taken from Firman's column, and also a Boer pompom that was the last gun De Wet had, and three wagons of ammunition, 150 horses and 100 mules. The Boer casualties were five men killed, six wounded and twenty-seven men captured.

"Among the killed was Field Cornet Wessels. Among the prisoners is Capt. Mulier of the Staats Artillery. The enemy was scattered. Our casualties were slight.

"The National Scouts, near Middleburg (Cape Colony) captured thirteen prisoners.

"Plumer, near Amersfoort (Transvaal,) captured seven prisoners and 500 head of cattle.

"Gen. Gilbert Hamilton captured twelve prisoners."

"Maj. Leader's force surprised De la Rey's commando, killing seven and capturing 131. The British casualties were slight, no British being killed."

HOPEFUL VIEW OF SITUATION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Montague White, representative of the Boer republics in America, commenting upon the unfavorable action of the British government in the peace negotiations, said:

"The reply of Lord Lansdowne does not close the door to peace negotiations, but simply points out that these should be concluded in South Africa and not in Europe. It must, however, be understood that as a condition precedent to any effective negotiations, the Boer authorities in Europe and the Boer leaders in the field must be placed in communication with one another. President Steyn will not be a party to a settlement without the consent of President Kruger and vice versa. The offer of the delegates to proceed to South Africa to confer there and then return, involving a delay of at least three months, is convincing evidence that the Boer situation is much better and more hopeful than the news from British sources would lead one to believe.

"With regard to the statement that the plenipotentiaries have no letters of credence later than March, 1900, this does not, in the least, imply that their powers are invalid, for these remain in force until canceled. They are in constant communication with the leaders in the field—that is, as constant as the means of locomotion will permit, for the mails and cable are entirely in British control. The refusal of the British government to accept foreign intervention is wholly irrelevant to the question. The Dutch government would not, after the elapse of two years and three months have approached the British government with peace proposals unless the latter had first signified its consent. This is a well-established principle in diplomacy. The action of the British government is not a real refusal, but, on the contrary, a very direct encouragement to the friends of peace to persevere in their efforts to bring about an equitable settlement. The situation is very hopeful and I reiterate what I have said so often and what I convincedly believe, that no country could use its oral influence in a more friendly and effective way to bring about an end of this terrible war than the United States of America."

CAUSE OF BOER WAR.

STERNBERG'S VIEW OF IT.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Count Adelbert Sternberg, who took part in the Boer campaign, and who declares that the treatment he has received from the British press and official and non-official Englishmen leaves him no cause to be an Anglophobe, has written a letter to the London Times, says the London correspondent of the New York Times, in which he says that, while England is hated, the Englishman is respected and loved.

"The economic advantage to be derived from the gold fields, says Count Sternberg, was merely a contributory cause of the South African war. The real cause, making action imperative, was the English principle, the essence of which is free trade and straightforward competition. On the continent this feeling is not understood, because the continent does not enjoy the blessings of civilization and a government based on the word "straight."

Count Sternberg says he always thought England was the enemy of the continent until he visited the United States and studied the economic conditions there. He now believes that the continental hatred of England is ungrateful, and that the continent ought to awake and recognize that its true enemy is arising in the West, like a great sun of gold whose first rays already have been projected across the Atlantic. Germany and all Europe should join with England.

THAT "HORSE EXPERT."

MAJ. LEE'S EXPLANATION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Maj. Arthur Lee, formerly British military attaché at the Embassy at Washington, who announced in the House of Commons Monday night that the British army officers purchasing horses in the United States could have had the services of the "chief horse expert" of the United States army, said to a representative of the Associated Press today that Adjt.-Gen. Corbin was quite accurate in saying that he (Maj. Lee) never had any communication with the adjutant-general's department on the subject of horse buying. At the same time, said the major, he had nothing to withdraw in his statement, as cabled to the Associated Press.

"The expression used," said Maj. Lee "the indefinite term of 'chief horse expert of the United States army,' as I had no intention of indicating any more closely the individual referred to. My only object in mentioning the matter was to criticise the English government for its neglect of opportunities."

BOTHA PUNISHED SMUTS.

FARM BURNING INTERDICTED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] In accordance with the promise of Chamberlain, the Colonial Secretary, to Parliament, the letter recently captured in South Africa has been published. It is from Gen. Smuts to Gen. Botha, and is dated September 2, 1901. Gen. Smuts protest against his dismissal for burning farms at Bremensdorp. The writer of the letter admits that farm burning violates Boer principles, but contends it was justified in this case because Bremensdorp was outside the Boer borders. Gen. Smuts pleads his military prowess as a reason for the mitigation of his punishment. In the course of the letter he shows that at Botha's orders the Boers drove their women unwillingly into the British lines to force them into the concentration camps.

The Conservative papers point to this latter as proving Boer brutality and treachery, while the Daily News points out that, although Smuts was a successful general and a personal friend of Botha, the latter was inexorable in punishing him for farm burning.

THANK DUTCH PREMIER.

BOER LEADERS IN CONFERENCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

THE HAGUE, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] As an outcome of the conferences held here, the Boer delegates have issued a communique thanking the Dutch government for its efforts toward bringing about peace in South Africa, and denying the British statement that they have had no instructions from South Africa since March, 1900.

The delegates affirm that they possess plenary powers still in force, and declare that the reply of Great Britain to the Dutch note proves that the only object of the former country is the extermination of the Boer nation, and is a further obstacle to any idea, on the part of the delegation, of applying to the British government for safe conducts, or anything else.

It is understood that the Boer delegates with Dr. Leyds, the European representative of the Transvaal, will have another conference with Kruger today. It is rumored here that Dr. Kuyper, the Dutch Premier, will request the use of the cables in order to sound Steyn, former President of the Orange Free State, respecting the waiving of independence, and to induce Steyn and Schalkburgher to issue a proclamation recognising the right of the delegates in Europe to represent the republics in any negotiations.

Mr. Wessels, in an interview, insisted that there could be no valid negotiations without the concurrence of the Boer delegates in Europe, and, like the other Boer leaders here, he seemed convinced that neither Steyn, Schalkburgher nor the Boer generals would approach Lord Kitchener with peace overtures.

REGULATES WORK IN MINES.

PARIS, Feb. 5.—The Chamber of Deputies today, after a long discussion, by a vote of 238 to 219, adopted a bill regulating the period of daily work in the mines. This bill provides that a nine-hour day shall be instituted at the coal pits at the end of six months from the day the measure is adopted. At the end of two years a day's work shall be reduced to eight, and one-half hours, and at the end of another two years it shall be reduced to eight hours.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIM...

HANFORD, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive dispatch.] Mrs. Patrick Tallant, a well-known lady of this city, was terribly burned this morning at her resi... She had been engaged in superintending some work in her yard, and in some manner her clothing ignited. When the remains of a brush fire which... thought to be out. A Chinaman who was working for her heard her scream and tried to tear her burning clothes off. Before the flames could be extinguished, however, she was terribly burned. From her knees to her... she was burned almost to a crisp. Her condition, about two-thirds of the body being burned off.

Medical aid was immediately summoned, but little hope is entertained for her recovery. Her husband, who is on his way to Butte, Mont., has been telegraphed for. The Tallants, who are wealthy people, came here from Los Angeles, where they are well known.

The gardener was severely burned while attempting to extinguish the flames.

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[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

MODESTO, Feb. 5.—The board of directors have finally completed all arrangements for the completion of the entire canal system, which will open $0,500 acres to irrigation under the district system. All litigation has been compromised, and the bondholders and the land owners in completing the system by remitting the defaulted interest and refund the bonds for 5 years in a new issue at 5 per... Rights-of-way committees are now securing rights, and bids will be received for the completion of the system by March 4 next.

Headworks and heavy tunnel grading and fluming have been nearly completed, and all that remains is the construction on the level land, and repairing of the upper works, which have deteriorated during the past few years, while the question was in litigation. The entire system will be completed for $285,000, as estimated by engineers. But six months will be required to run all canals and laterals. All the necessary surveys and estimates have been made, and bids will be advertised for in a few days.

The land in the district is all level and but little grading will be necessary. Where water has been used all kinds of semi-tropical fruits and products can be raised in abundance. Many people from a distance have already secured land in the district, and are preparing to improve it in time for water.

The source of supply is the Tuolumne River, and a mammoth irrigation dam has been constructed across the river which has withstood the flood waters for ten years. It is the highest overflow dam in the United States, and cost $600,000.

IDENTITY OF SUICIDE.

PROBING THE MYSTERY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A...

STOCKTON, Feb. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Foster, who conduct the Repeller Ho... at San Francisco, where Mrs. Ha... mond Moore stopped, visited the morgue here today an d took a long look at the remains of the woman who committed suicide here. Both declined to talk about the matter, and refused to say whether they believed the body was that of Mrs. Moore. They also looked at her effects, and asked to see a long coat worn by Mrs. Moore, but this was not found with her effects here.

Chief of Police Briare advanced the theory that the dead woman here was Mrs. Aiken, the first wife of the Sacramento man, the one now being held there being his second wife. Investigation convinces the Chief of Police that Mrs. Aiken and Mrs. Moore are one and the same person. He states that during her stay in Stockton she told her history to a lodging-house keeper, declaring that she had been married to a man named Moore, who had committed suicide a year and a half ago.

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TULARE COUNTY CONTRIBUTES.

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COAST RECORD.

FIRE CAUGHT HER CLOTHING.

Mrs. Patrick Tallant Fatally Burned.

Formerly a Resident of Los Angeles.

Footpad Sent Up for Life—Woman's Club Convention.—Modesto Canal.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HANFORD, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Patrick Tallant, a well-known lady of this city, was terribly burned this morning at her residence. She had been engaged in superintending some work in her yard, and in some manner her clothing ignated from the remains of a brush fire which was thought to be out. A Chinaman, who was working for her heard her screams, and tried to tear her burning clothes off. Before the flames could be extinguished, however, she was terribly burned. From her knees to her waist she was burned almost to a charred condition, about two-thirds of the skin being burned off.

Medical aid was immediately summoned, but little hope is entertained for her recovery. Her husband, who is on his way to Butte, Mont., has been telegraphed for. The Tallants, who are wealthy people, came here from Los Angeles, where they are well known.

The gardener was severely burned while attempting to extinguish the flames.

WILL RENDER FERTILE THOUSANDS OF ACRES.

ALL LITIGATION OVER MODESTO'S BIG DITCH SETTLED.

It is Expected That Within Six Months All the Canals and Laterals Will Be Run—Tuolumne River is the Source of Supply.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS, P.M.]

MODESTO, Feb. 5.—The board of directors have finally completed all arrangements for the completion of the entire canal system, which will open up 30,500 acres to irrigation under the district system. All litigation has been compromised, and the bondholders will aid the land owners in completing the system by remitting the defaulted interest and refund the bonds for forty years in a new issue at 5 per cent. Rights-of-way committees are now securing rights, and bids will be received for the completion of the system on March 4 next.

Headworks and heavy tunneling, grading and fluming have been nearly completed, and all that remains is the construction on the level land, and the repairing of the upper works, which have deteriorated during the past few years, while the question was in litigation. The entire system will be completed for $285,000, as estimated by surveyors. But six months will be required to run all canals and laterals. All of the necessary surveys and estimates have been made, and bids will be advertised for in a few days.

The land in the district is all level, and but little grading will be necessary. Where water has been used all kinds of semi-tropical fruits and products can be raised in abundance. Many people from a distance have already secured land in the district, and are preparing to improve it in time for the water.

The source of supply is the Tuolumne River, and a mammoth irrigation dam has been constructed across the river, which has withstood the flood waters for ten years. It is the highest overflow dam in the United States, and cost $800,000.

IDENTITY OF SUICIDE.

PROBING THE MYSTERY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Foster, who conduct the Repeller Hotel at San Francisco, where Mrs. Hammond Moore stopped, visited the morgue here today an dtook a long look at the remains of the woman who committed suicide here. Both declined to talk about the matter, and refused to say whether they believed the body was that of Mrs. Moore. They also looked at her effects, and asked to see a long coat worn by Mrs. Moore, but this was not found with her effects here.

Chief of Police Briare advanced the theory that the dead woman here is Mrs. Aiken, the first wife of the Sacramento man, the one now being alive there being his second wife. Investigation convinces the Chief of Police that Mrs. Aiken and Mrs. Moore are one and the same person. He states that during her stay in Stockton she told her history to a lodging-house keeper, declaring that she had been married to a man named Moore, who had committed suicide a year and a half ago.

EXHIBIT IN LOS ANGELES.

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GEODETIC SURVEY.

COPPER RIVER GOLD FIELDS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Feb. 5.—Because of recent promising gold discoveries in the Chestanaca country in the Copper River basin, Alaska, the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey has detailed a party of its men to leave Seattle to make an extensive topographical and geological survey of the country early next spring.

D. C. Witherspoon, assistant topographer of the service, arrived in Seattle last night. He will purchase provisions here and start for Valdes next week. His intention is to get supplies into the interior in advance of the party. F. C. Schraeder, who made a partial survey of the Copper River basin in 1900, will be in charge of the survey.

LOS ANGELES WOMEN TAKE PROMINENT PART.

READ INTERESTING PAPERS BEFORE WOMEN'S FEDERATION.

Mrs. Prior Presents Report on Club Extension and Mrs. Porter Discusses the Influence of the Press Upon Education—Appointments Announced.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Disagreeable weather did not affect the attendance upon the club women's convention today. President Burdette called the meeting to order.

Mrs. J. Lowenberg, the recording secretary, in her report, announced that at present the federation was composed of ninety-five clubs, with a membership of 7567.

The growth has been principally in the Los Angeles district, which has thirty-six clubs, with a membership of 2188, having had an increase of eleven clubs, with a membership of 368. The San Diego district stands second in growth, having fourteen clubs and having gained six clubs, with a membership of 251, the total membership of the district being 873.

Mrs. Solomon Jewett of Bakersfield presented her report as treasurer. It showed that since the organization of the State Federation, the receipts had amounted to $1529; the disbursemets were $991 and the balance on hand was $838.

Mrs. F. E. Prior of Los Angeles read the report of the Committee on Club Extension. She read the figures of increase in clubs and membership, and urged upon all club members the advisability of reciprocity meetings in all districts where the larger clubs should invite the smaller clubs to unite with them in discussion of club topics.

Mrs. Florence Collins Porter of Los Angeles read a paper on the "Influence of the Press on Education." She said in part:

"The newspaper is an every-day cyclopedia of the present. The newspaper is the literature of the masses. 'As a man readieth in the newspapers, so is he.' There is yet much to condemn in modern journalism. Does the press create public sentiment, or does public sentiment direct its policy, is a question that is freely asked. It is easier to criticize than to do. Yellow journalism can have no defense. It panders to the depraved taste of those who want that class of literature, and the people who buy it are equally responsible for its existence."

Mrs. Burdette announced the following appointments: Mrs. Mary Darling, vice-president pro tem. of the San Diego district; Mrs. W. T. Lewis to the same office in the Los Angeles district, and Mrs. G. G. Greenleaf of Redlands, to the Committee on Resolutions.

At tonight's session, the "property rights of women" were discussed by Mrs. Martha Strickland Clark, Miss Mabel Craft and Mrs. Lou V. Chapin of Los Angeles.

ACCUSED OF SWINDLING.

ELK GROVE POSTMASTER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Joseph Hasman, postmaster at Elk Grove, Sacramento county, has been arrested by United States Marshal Shine on a warrant charging him with swindling the government out of $18.

The warrant was based on an indictment found by the grand jury on information, which alleged that on October 2, 1900, Hasman reported in his "stamps-canceled" account, on which his compensation is based, $194.93, whereas the amount actually canceled is alleged to have been only $176.05. After his arrest he furnished bonds in $1000, and was released pending a preliminary examination.

NEEDS MORE REST.

NORDICA CANCELS DATES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Mme. Lillian Nordica, acting on the advice of her physician, will cancel all local dates, rest at least ten days longer and then probably fill her engagement in Portland, Or. After that is possible she may return to this city, and be heard. This, however, is uncertain. Her condition is not serious, it is stated, but she has not recovered from the shock to her system sustained in a railroad accident and requires rest.

NO CHANGES TO MAKE.

WELLS-FARGO EXPRESS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Dudley C. Evans, the new head of Wells, Fargo & Co., has returned to San Francisco to assume his duties as acting-president. In an interview, he said:

"I have no innovations or changes to make. Everything will be carried on as it was under the presidency of Mr. Valentine. There will not even be a change in the office force of the president. Nor will there be any changes in the salaries in the various departments."

REPUBLICAN LEAGUE CLUBS.

DELEGATES APPORTIONED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—The formal call for the State Convention of Republican Clubs, to be held at San José, April 14 and 15, has been issued from the headquarters of the league. The apportionment of delegates is as follows:

"Each Republican club in California shall be entitled to one delegate-at-large; one delegate for each twenty-five members upon the rolls, and its president, secretary and treasurer, ex-officio. Other ex-officio members are all officers of the National League in California, officers of the State and Congressional leagues, and the president of the American College League of California. Alternates should be chosen for each delegate, and they will be accorded seats in the convention with their respective delegations."

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INJURIES KILL RILEY.

M'INTOSH UNDER ARREST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLIFTON (Ariz.) Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thomas J. Riley, formerly of San Francisco, who has been running a photograph gallery in Clifton, died this evening at a hospital, from an assault made on him Monday night by J. O. McIntosh, a gambler.

The trouble occurred in the Richelieu saloon over a remark made by Riley to McIntosh's wife, who dealt a crap game in the house. After knocking Riley down, it is alleged, McIntosh jumped on Riley with both feet, from the effects of which death followed.

McIntosh is under arrest closely guarded, and an autopsy will be held on the body tonight, and the Coroner's inquest tomorrow. McIntosh is a native of Arizona and well known. Riley was from Northern Arizona, having been here only a few months.

BIG MAIL SUBSIDY.

CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMERS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VICTORIA (B. C.) Feb. 5.—A five-year contract has been entered into between the British government and the Canadian Pacific Railway for the conveyance of troops, mails and stores between Halifax, Quebec, Montreal and Hongkong, for which service the Canadian line will receive £60,000 as a subsidy yearly, on which the Canadian government will contribute £15,000. A stipulation is made that the liners of the Canadian Pacific Railway are liable to war service, and are to be constructed under admiralty supervision.

BARD WILL HELP.

ANTI-DEBRIS APPROPRIATION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—Robert T. Devlin, attorney for the State Anti-Débris Association, has received a letter from Senator Bard that he will do all in his power to secure an appropriation of $150,000 from Congress for building restraining works for the débris. The prospect is that Congress will make the appropriation, and work will begin in the near future, as instructions have been received that the work may proceed.

NATIVE SONS' HALL BURNED.

COSTLY BLAZE IN SANTA ROSA.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA ROSA, Feb. 5.—A fire broke out in Native Sons' Hall at Occidental about 10 o'clock tonight, and for a time threatened to wipe out the little town which was almost entirely burned down a few years ago. From Native Sons' Hall the flames quickly spread to the general-merchandise store of Joseph Asti and McCandle Bros', blacksmith shop, all of these places suffering severely. The Franchesci Hotel and the Occidental newspaper office narrowly escaped destruction. The total loss is estimated at $10,000.

SENT UP FOR LIFE.

FOOTPAD JOHN MURPHY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Another footpad received the limit in Judge Cook's court today. John Murphy, an old offender, was convicted yesterday of having held up and brutally beaten Harry Lawrence at Powell and Geary streets on the morning of December 2. Today he was sentenced to San Quentin for life.

BRIEF COAST DISPATCHES.

Moore Pleaded Guilty.

STOCKTON, Feb. 5.—George Moore, leader of the gang who killed Policeman Robinson in San Francisco while they were on a robbing expedition to get money to pay an attorney to defend him on a charge of robbery, pleaded guilty this afternoon, and was sentenced to two years' in San Quentin.

Yuki Will Aid Scientists.

BERKELEY, Feb. 5.—The scientists of the University of California, who are investigating the Indians of this Coast, are awaiting the arrival of a young chief of the Yuki tribe. His English name is Ralph Moore. Though a full-blooded Yuki he speaks and writes English fluently. The university authorities will record and preserve Moore's language by means of the phonograph.

Passed Bogus Checks.

SACRAMENTO, Feb. 5.—H. A. Aldrach, a young man who claims to have a wife and children in Utah, was today held to answer to the Superior Court on a charge of passing bogus checks upon F. M. Jones for $50.

Father Jacquet Insane.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 5.—A copy of the Nome Nugget received today states that Rev. Father Jacquet, who is well known all over the Pacific Coast, has been committed to the Oregon Insane Asylum. Father Jacquet has been engaged in missionary work in Alaska and on the Pacific Coast for twenty-eight years. He formerly lived in California.

Ten Prisoners Escape.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Ten of the military prisoners confined in the stockade in one of the camps at the Presidio escaped last night and have not yet been traced. Their exit from the inclosure in which they were confined was made by a tunnel through the ground, which they had evidently been secretly constructing for several nights.

Fatal Quarrel Over Billiards.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 5.—A negro named Watson early this morning assaulted with a rock and probably fatally beat a Mexican by the name of Arce. They had quarreled over the settlement of a game of billiards. Watson is in custody, together with three Mexicans, believed to have had something to do with the row.

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ENGLAND.

WIFE'S SISTER BILL AGAIN.

Fifteenth Appearance in House of Commons.

Cecil Family Leads the Opposition.

Son of Premier Thinks it Would Disrupt Many Happy Families.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The perennial wife's sister bill reappeared in Parliament today in a form identical with that of last year. On fourteen occasions the House of Commons has affirmed the principle of the bill, which, however, has always met with insurmountable obstruction, generally from the bishops, in the upper house. The advocates of the measure today brought forward all the old arguments especially dwelling on colonial legislation, which is considered to be an unanswerable argument in favor of the bill. The loyalty of the colonies during the South African war is advanced as an additional reason for the removal of the injustice which the present law inflicts on a large number of children, who are the fruit of colonial marriages.

The Cecils, as usual, appeared in the forefront of the opposition to the bill. Lord Hugh Cecil, fifth son of Lord Salisbury, and Conservative member of Greenwith, and Evelyn Cecil, also a family connection of the Premier, and Conservative member for Aston Manor, drew harrowing pictures of the disturbance which the passage of the measure would bring about in the happy relation of many a sister-in-law, and how the comforts the latter was capable of rendering the husband when he had lost his wife would be withdrawn, should a Parliamentary hint be given that such consolation would be a step toward further matrimony. Sir William Gordon, Liberal, reminded the Cecils that the bill did not provide for compulsory marriage with a deceased wife's sister, and he convulsed the House by reading a letter from a woman friend telling him of a man who had married the eldest of seven sisters.

"What a terrible thing it would be," said the writer, "if this bill becomes a law, and this man's wife died. He would have to marry all his seven sisters-in-law at once! It would be no better than a harem."

Before the vote was declared, there was an angry anti-Cecil demonstration. Both Lord Hugh and Evelyn Cecil used every parliamentary trick to delay reaching a vote within the time limits of Wednesday, and when they returned to the House from the lobbies both of Lord Salisbury's relatives were greeted with angry cries of "Shame, churlish," and similar epithets.

CHAMBER OF SHIPPING.

WANTS OUR LAWS MENDED.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] At the annual meeting of the Chamber of Shipping of the United Kingdom, today, several points interesting to the United States were raised. Col. Emil Ropner, M.P., president of the organization, referred to "crimping" and "blood money" in the United States. He said the chamber earnestly hoped the British Ambassador at Washington would succeed in inducing the United States government to pass legislation making "crimping" a criminal offense.

Regarding ship subsidies, Col. Ropner said the United States would probably pass a ship subsidy bill with the result that there would be a rapid extension of the United States mercantile navy and keener competition, which would require all the energy and enterprise of British ship owners to meet.

The chamber unanimously passed a resolution urging their government to make an effort to secure the exemption of British ships from the payment of tonnage tax levied at United States ports, and use its good offices to induce the United States, pending further legislation, to enforce the present Federal and State laws in regard to the desertion of seamen, and the payment of "blood money."

The president read a letter from the British Consul at San Francisco saying that seamen are not obtainable without "blood money," but Col. Ropner explained that this was because there was always a superabundance of seamen during the first few months of the year.

SHOOTING OF COWAN.

Mail Advices Say the Natives Who Wounded the British Naval Chaplain Were Mutinous Soldiers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chinese soldiers, 200 in number, fired on the steamer Nanning on the West River, wounding the chaplain of H.M. Flagship Glory, and slightly injuring another officer. The shooting took place at midday on the 13th ultimo., when no trouble of any kind was suspected. The affair was reported to Hongkong by Rev. E. J. Hardy, military chaplain at the city, and he said the soldiers concerned, though native troops, were mutineers. The two men wounded were Rev. Charles E. L. Cowan, chaplain, and an unknown European customs officer, whose name Hardy was unable to obtain, and who had his leg grazed.

The Nanning met the gunboats Sandpiper and Robin and reported what had occurred. The Robin proceeded at once to investigate and Cowan was brought to Hongkong on the Sandpiper. The latest details before the Empress of China left for this city, did not throw any further light upon the identity of the mutineers.

IRISH ARE WORSE THAN ARE THE BOERS.

SALISBURY AGAIN GLOOMY OVER NEXT-DOOR SITUATION.

The British Government Means Business With the Burghers, But the Maintenance of Its Position in Hostile Ireland Requires Strenuous Exertions.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Lord Salisbury, the Premier, unveiled a life-sized marble statue of the late Queen Victoria, at the Junior Constitutional Club tonight. Speaking at a dinner after the unveiling, the Premier referred to the recent Dutch note in a tone, for him, of unusual flippancy. He said that doubtless some of his auditors thought it a bit of luck to catch a Cabinet Minister and extract from him some information concerning that abortive crisis which had lately filled columns in the newspapers. He doubted, however, if they would extract much. For himself, he was unable to imagine the object of the Dutch government, for whose friendly feelings he had the greatest admiration, but he could not see the precise object they hoped to gain by his curious step.

"It was clear that the Dutch," continued Lord Salisbury, "had no authorization from our enemies on the continent, since from the moment this action on the part of The Netherlands government was announced these enemies vied with each other in declaring the Dutch action to be undesired.

"His Majesty's government certainly knew noting of the genesis of this movement. The fact that such a step was taken, however, reminds me that we have arrived at a condition of things which, in a critical period of this character, always occurred—a period when there would be many persons attempting to bring numerous people of different views together, and when there would be many suggestions which it would be neither easy nor desirable to notice."

The Premier explained that his only reason for alluding to such things was that a time was coming when the people must think more of the suggestions of their intelligence and less of the suggestions of their emotions.

"There is no longer any question of sentiment," continued Lord Salisbury. "We have entered upon a matter of business which we must push through. What we are now seeking is security. Any peace which recognizes fully the rights of the sovereign and gives us security for the empire we would accept, not only with willingnes, but with delight.

"It is useless to tell us to behave so as to leave a pleasant recollection in the minds of those with whom we are fighting. The only result that can compensate for the sacrifice of blood and treasure is that for the future there shall be security in that part of the empire upon which the ambition of Mr. Kruger has poured this abundance of sorrow and desolation."

Lord Salisbury said he had no misgivings for the future, and that he believed the war had made the country more confident in its external policy, more convinced that its opinions would receive due consideration from the "comity of nations," but when the present strain had passed away, continued the speaker, there still remained duties which could not be shirked. The existence of hostile feeling in Ireland was a signal that the efforts upon which depended in no light degree the glory and continuance of the empire must not be relaxed.

"The maintenance of our position in Ireland is the most vital object the empire has, and it can only be attained by strenuous exertions," said the Premier.

He asked if the Irish people loved the government better than they did formerly, and replied himself that they did not. He said the feelings of hostility which had been expressed were more uncompromising than any expressions which had ever issued from the lips of Parnell or O'Connell. An Irish government with power to accumulate arms and ammunition would constitute a more serious threat than had the Boers.

The Premier concluded with saying that the conspicuous duty of the Unionists was to maintain a permanent junction between England and Ireland, and that it was by sustaining this junction that they would maintain the greatness of the Constitution and the splendor of the British empire.

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Women's brilliant black hosiery made with a double sole and heel, nicely knitted, well shaped and you would almost pay 25c for such a quality.
At 25c
Women's standard black hosiery, extra heavy weight, double feet—that means double wear—full fashioned, quite silky in appearance. We don't believe you would dispute it if we said 35c was the value.
At 50c
Women's cashmere hose, fine strong ribbed, made with firm double sole, high spliced heel, and most excellent in every particular.
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The strongest and best Children's hosiery a mother could ask for. Made with double knee, high spliced heel and toe, and the color is guaranteed fast. The real retail value is 25c. Such an inducement on standard goods is indeed tempting.
At 12½c
We don't hesitate to say that these are the very best hosiery we ever sold. They are perfectly stainless, one by one rib, extra fine and strong with double knee. Just worlds of wear in them. We might just as easily ask 17½c.

THRILLING ESCAPES.

St. Louis Firemen Who Eluded Death.

All of the Injured on Road to Recovery.

Skillful Fight Against Flames Prevented Disastrous Conflagration.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—Four of the bodies of the seven firemen killed in the Chestnut-street fire have been recovered. All the six injured men will recover.

According to Chief Swingley, one of the most skillful battles against flames in the department's history was fought. A conflagration that threatened a whole block at least, and might easily have extended farther, was restrained.

The building, which was nearly fifty years old, was weak and the water with which it had been flooded loosened its joints, and soaked its walls. When the pipemen entered the walls were already tottering, but there was nothing to warn them of their peril.

William O'Donnell, John Purcell and William O'Connell, of salvage corps, No. 1 were covering material on an upper floor when the walls started to fall. They were carried outward with it, and landed safely in the street.

William Wann, foreman of engine company No. 13, was on the second floor when the collapse came. Falling plaster warned him of the danger, and he slipped down the bannister to the first floor, and ran into the street.

Patrick F. McCarthy and William Juelich, who were about to enter the building to assist in the rescue of their comrades, were struck by falling débris and severely injured.

Fifteen persons were thought to have been in the building when it collapsed. Only a roll call could tell how many had escaped. Darkness handicapped the rescuers, for all the electric wires were cut, and the débris smothered what little fire remained in the building just before the collapse. The groans of the firemen in the débris were at first the only guides their comrades had. Calcium lights were brought on the scene, and by their glare the work of rescue proceeded. A force of negro roustabouts were procured from the levee to aid in the work. Wives, children and other relatives of the firemen gathered around the scene, and awaited tidings of their loved ones. As it became certain that all who were buried there were dead, these were led away by friends.

At 1 o'clock this morning the groans from the débris ceased, and Chief Swingley said that he had no doubt that all who had been caught were dead. It was not until 3 o'clock that the first body was found. It was that of William Dundon. A spark of life was discovered, and the mangled body was taken to the hospital. Before reaching there, however, Dundon died. Between four and five o'clock the bodies of Daniel Steels and Michael Kehoe were recovered.

For some time Patrick D. Bergin, pipeman of No. 12, was supposed to be among the missing. Later he turned up safely. The fact that yesterday was Bergin's day off probably saved his life, for his company was right in the thick of the fight.

At 8 o'clock the first shift of laborers was relieved by a new force. The work was hard and tedious, for everything was covered with several inches of ice.

A fund for the relief of the relatives of the victims started by the Post Dispatch now amounts to several hundred dollars, and that of the Merchants' Exchange reaches $3000 for a similar purpose.

FOUR MEN DEAD.

TOWBOAT EXPLOSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 5.—In the explosion of the boilers on the towboat John W. Alles, this morning, four men were killed and of the injured four will probably die. The Alles was completely destroyed. The loss is placed at $25,000.

The boat was considered one of the best owned by the coa combine, and its boilers had been inspected but a few days ago. The surviving members of the crew claim that they were not carrying a greater pressure of steam than the government allows.

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OGDEN'S INJURED.

THEY ARE OUT OF DANGER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OGDEN (Utah) Feb. 5.—Assistant Chief Rogers, who was injured in yesterday's fire and explosion, is resting easy, and there is now no doubt of his recovery. The burns were not as bad as first reported, and the physicians say there will be no resulting disfigurement. The others injured, including Fireman Lowe, are able to be around, and their complete recovery is only a matter of a little time.

OBITUARY.

Thomas D. Robinson.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Thomas D. Robinson, a pioneer banker and lawyer of Northern Illinois, is dead at Rockford, aged 84 years.

REVOLUTIONISTS DEFEATED.

PANAMA, Feb. 5.—The steamer Taboga which arrived here this afternoon from Chiriqui with cattle and passengers reports the defeat of a small revolutionary expedition sent out by Gen. Herrera, the capture of a number of revolutionists and their arms, and 60 horses destined for the revolutionary forces.

LITTLE CHILDREN MAY WORK.

COLUMBIA (S. C.) Feb. 5.—The House of Representatives of this State today killed the bill to prohibit little children from working in the cotton factories of this State. The vote was 54 to 52. Had all the members been present and voted, it is said the bill would have been passed by one vote. The Senate passed it last year.

MAJ. ROBERTS LEAVES PEKING.

PEKING, Feb. 5.—Edgar B. Roberts of the Ninth Infantry started today for Manila, and Capt. Andrew Brewster of the same regiment, asumed command of the United States Legation guard. Many foreign military men, including Japanese and British officers, bade the major farewell.

CONVICTED OF WIFE-MURDER.

BLOOMINGTON (Ill.) Feb. 5.—The jury in the case of Merritt Chism, who has been on trial here for two weeks charged with the murder of his wife on May 11, 1901, returned a verdict today, fixing the penalty at seventeen years' imprisonment. The theory of the defense was insanity. Chism was reputed to be worth $250,000.

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discharge of his duties until the ges made could be investigated.

was stated that there was some t as to the identity of Daniels the Wyoming convict. With these nations the matter was dropped the time. Senators generally exs the opinion that if the charges to be true Daniels will be disged from office.

RIXEY A BUREAU CHIEF.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS. P.M.]

ASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Senate y confirmed the following nomina- Medical Inspector, P. M. Rixey, N., to be chief of the Bureau of icine and Surgery of the Navy, with k of rear-admiral.

NEW SECRETARY'S POLICY.

EASURY TO BUY BONDS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive patch.] So much anxiety is felt in money circles of the country about attitude and policy of the new Sec- of the Treasury toward the marthat the New York correspondent secured a statement which will not questioned in any authoritative rter. Secretary Shaw is laying his se with great care, fully appreci- g the wisdom of Secretary Gage's servatism, and he fully realizes the tion between our treasury system the money market. His first act entering office was to give notice the policy pursued by his predeor as to bond redemption would be tinued by himself. The doors still d open, and will remain open, to all earances, for an indefinite time. only will the treasury buy bonds ctly from the holders, but the Asant Treasurer at New York is still horized to purchase, at the figure en in the actuarial tables prepared the Secretary without consulting quarters here.

uring the last few weeks of his adinistration, Secretary Gage, not wishto embarrass his successor, perted applications of new banks for nission to the list of government detories to accumulate, till their numr amounted to twenty or more. retary Shaw, on looking the ground r with some care, decided that, for present, he did not wish to increase treasury's bank deposits. There already some 445 depository banks, ding about $112,000,000 of government ds. The treasury keeps on hand, as working balance, about $62,000,000. working balance which is always ssary to convenience of operation the treasury machinery, is $50,000,- nd the present balance is not so above that mark as to warrant, in aw's judgment, the immediate exsion of the deposits. He proposes have a margin on which to trade, if y unforeseen crisis occurs, and as rther deposits offer the only availle outlet to treasury funds for reing the equilibrium of the market an emergency, he wishes to keep e way always clear and the means relief at hand. When the time mes and he is convinced that it is essary, he will not hesitate to use money, but he does not wish to al demand for it.

FIFTY-SEVENTH CONGRESS.

REGULAR SESSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—SENATE.—n the conclusion of the routine busiss in the Senate today, consideration as resumed of the Urgent Deficiency ppropriation Bill. Mr. Hale, in charge the measure, made an appeal to the nate to permit the bill to come to a te. He hoped the "scandal in Alaska" would not be permitted to interre with the progress of the measure. e said the "scandal" had no relevancy an appropriation bill, and while he as powerless to prevent the discussion hoped it would not be prolonged.

Mr. McCumber of North Dakota said e had no desire to prolong the discusn, but most villainous charges had en made against men, charges which e personally knew to be unfounded d absolutely false. He declared that rtain mining syndicates had desired obtain control of the whole (Alaska) untry. He believed it would be prenature for the Senate to render a verct for or against Judge Arthur H. oyes and Alexander McKenzie before he courts had had opportunity to pass pon the merits of the case. He venured the opinion that the Senator from outh Carolina (Mr. Tillman,) who repesented a chivalrous people, and who ad reflected so seriously upon Judge oyes and Alexander McKenzie, who ad no opportunity to defend themelves, would not have made the harges against them if he had known lexander McKenzie and had been faniliar with the facts. He declared that o person could put a finger upon a ingle instance where Alexander McKenzie or Judge Noyes ever had wronged any man of a dollar. He paid high tribute to both McKenzie and udge Noyes, and, in answer to an inquiry, asserted that "not one scintilla of evidence is contained in the entire record of the case that will support he charge of conspiracy against Alexander McKenzie."

Mr. McCumber then entered upon an extended statement of the case against McKenzie, going into minute details. He maintained that the order of the Circuit Court of Appeals of San Francisco went outside of the statement of fact made to it in ordering McKenzie to turn over property of which he was the receiver. He asserted that McKenzie's lawyer advised him that the court's order was void. McKenzie, therefore, did not comply with the writ, inasmuch as if he had he would be in contempt of an order of Judge Noyes. He therefore was between two fires. In such condition it was held by able lawyers that McKenzie ought not to be adjudged guilty of any offense.

Referring to the opinion of the Circuit Court of Appeals, Mr. McCumber asserted that four-fifths of it was devoted to the discussion of an alleged attempt at conspiracy between Judge Noyes and McKenzie, the greater portion of the information concerning which came from San Francisco newspapers. He insisted that no man could conceive of a more heinous judgment than this. The parties were not convicted of conspiracy, but of contempt, and, in his opinion, ought not to have been punished to such an extent as were McKenzie, Noyes and Dubose.

The members of the Court of Appeals for the ninth circuit, he said, might be honorable men, but he was obliged to judge them by their acts. That court had convicted Judge Noyes while he was 2000 miles away, and had arraigned him in most remarkable language without an opportunity of a hearing.

Reverting to the situation as Judge Noyes found it in Alaska, Mr. McCumber declared that the mining syndicates had made every effort to bribe him, $20,000 being offered to him in one sum. Finding it impossible to bribe him, the syndicate hired, Mr. McCumber asserted, a man to make a perjured affidavit that Judge Noyes had accepted a bribe. These facts, he said, had been reported to the Attorney-General of the United States and for reporting these matters, to the United States Judicial Department, Mr. Frost, he said, had been sentenced to jail for one year, because his work had come in conflict with the Circuit Court of Appeals. That was the reason for Frost's conviction. He simply would not be a creature of the syndicate.

Mr. McCumber read the orders issued by Judge Noyes—known as the statu quo orders—upon which, he said, the judge had been convicted of contempt. Why, he asked, was Frost sent to prison and Judge Noyes only fined, if both were guilty of conspiracy? He opined that it was because Judge Noyes's character would be sufficiently blackened by a fine, and then, too, out of prison he could not be reached by a writ of habeas corpus. He referred to what to his mind, was appalling corruption in Alaska.

Mr. Tillman, interrupting, inquired whether Mr. McCumber did not think he owed to the Senate to give it all the facts concerning the "damnable corruption" of certain United States courts, to which he had referred.

Mr. McCumber replied that he had not accused the members of the San Francisco Circuit Court of Appeals of anything worse than prejudice and bias. He urged that he had proved this prejudice from the record.

TILLMAN GETS IN.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Mr. McCumber denounced the decision of the Court of Appeals as forty-eight pages of segregation of testimony out of 3000 pages of closely-printed matter. The conclusions of the court, he said, were based for the most part on evidence which the Senator from South Carolina (Mr. Tillman) would not give the least credence to. He asserted that Mr. Tillman had cast serious aspersions upon a man as honorable as he (Mr. Tillman) was—a man whom the South Carolina Senator might meet outside the chamber, and there, if he saw fit, call the vile names he had applied to him.

Mr. Tillman disclaimed any intention to reflect improperly upon anybody, his remarks, he said, being directed to the Department of Justice especially, for not doing its duty in promptly investigating and acting upon such a scandal as had developed in this, whoever were the guilty parties. He insisted that either the judges of the Circuit Court of Appeals of San Francisco were guilty of some infamy, or the Noyes party was. He felt it his duty, as he had some respect for the judiciary of the United States, to defend judges who had been arraigned so seriously and to see that their side of the controversy should go into the records.

Mr. Tillman said he appeared in the role of a defender of United States courts, when he was on record as having made many scathing criticisms of the Federal judiciary, but he remarked facetiously that he would not be doing his duty by his clients—the three judges of the San Francisco Circuit Court of Appeals, whom he had gotten into hot water—if he did not attempt at least to cool the water a little. Incidentally the South Carolina Senator, saying that the debate had been precipitated by the reading by him of a clipping from a newspaper, read a dispatch printed in a newspaper charging Benjamin Daniels, whom the Senate had confirmed as United States Marshal of Arizona, with being entirely unworthy to hold that office. Mr. Tillman made some scathing comments upon the Judiciary Committee for passing such a nomination favorably. He supposed that Senators from the State from which Daniels hailed now would be called upon to criticise him for introducing this newspaper clipping, but he did it simply to "hold up the mirror in order that the other side might see themselves as others saw them."

With this parting shot, Mr. Tillman contented himself with having printed in the record the decision of the Circuit Court of Appeals in the Noyes case, Mr. McCumber having withdrawn his objection.

Mr. Stewart criticised Judge Noyes's conduct of his office. He said that he had been familiar with the law practice in mining cases for more than half a century, and that he knew the policy of the American people was to protect the locators of mines, whereas, Judge Noyes, immediately upon his arrival at Nome, had appointed receivers to take possession of at least six new mining claims, following these appointments by others of a similar character. He declared there was no precedent for a receiver in a placer mine from which gold was being constantly taken. If Judge Noyes was honest in his action, then he was utterly incompetent. Consideration of some of the amendments to the Urgent Deficiency Bill, which had been passed over, was resumed.

The first amendment, one appropriating $500,000 for the establishment at Manila of a military post, including the construction of barracks, etc., was agreed to after Mr. Hale explained that the appropriation was put upon the pending bill because it was desirable that the work should begin at once.

A bill providing $459,052 (Mexican) to reimburse the Philippine insular funds for small gunboats and ordnance stores turned over to the navy by the military authorities at Manila, caused Mr. Tillman to make some inquiries.

Mr. Hale replied that the Secretary of the Navy had made estimates for the purchase of the vessels and stores on the recommendation of a board of officers.

Mr. Tillman insisted, however, that the record did not show where the vessels came from, and what had been paid for them.

"It does not appear from the record," he said, "that the money was honestly expended. This whole business is entirely too slip-shod and slack-twisted for an honest government."

It was explained by Mr. Hale that the vessels were small craft, acquired probably from private parties, and had been converted into gunboats. They were being used for patrol duty among the islands.

Mr. Bacon of Georgia urged that the item be held up temporarily until definite information was furnished.

Mr. Teller of Colorado said there probably would be a degree of looseness about all the accounts coming from the Philippines, but he was not particularly opposed to the pending amendment, as it did not appear at all doubtful that the money actually had been expended. The amendment was agreed to.

The committee amendment striking out the House paragraph reducing the number of land offices in Alaska to one, to be located at Sitka, aroused much discussion. Mr. Cockrell said that at only one of the offices were the receipts of any importance. At one the expenses of which were in excess of $4000 annually, the receipts were only $10. He contended that the House provision ought to stand.

After a long discussion the House paragraph was stricken out and another was substituted, reducing the number of land offices and land districts in Alaska to one, the location of which shall be fixed by the President, the President to establish an additional land office for the land district of Alaska, when, in his opinion, the public service demands it. The bill was then passed.

The Senate, at 5 o'clock, went into executive session, and at 5:50 o'clock adjourned.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—House.—At the opening of the session of the House today, Mr. Hemenway of Indiana, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill and gave notice that he would call it up tomorrow.

Mr. Henry of Connecticut, in charge of the Oleomargarine Bill, thereupon asked unanimous consent that an arrangement be made to close general debate on that bill at 5 o'clock today and that the final vote be taken at 4 o'clock tomorrow. To this several members objected, and Mr. Henry then moved that general debate close today.

Mr. Williams of Mississippi protested against the proposition to close debate. Upon his request, it was unanimously agreed that the general debate should continue for two days, after which there should be one day's debate under the five-minute rule, the arrangement, however, not to interfere with the consideration of other privileged measures. The debate upon the bill was then resumed.

Mr. Allen of Kentucky, the first speaker today, opposed the bill and advocated the adoption of the substitute.

Mr. Moon of Tennessee said he did not think the substitute offered by the minority went far enough, while he considered the majority bill fatally defective. Mr. Klutz of North Carolina favored the majority bill and Mr. Scott of Kansas opposed it.

The House, at 5:05 o'clock p.m., adjourned.

SULZER'S BILL.

SHAWS COMMENT THEREON.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Secretary Shaw's first communication on financial legislation is contained in a letter to Representative Sulzer of New York, concerning the latter's bill to deposit government funds at interest in national banks throughout the country. The letter says:

"I find on my desk awaiting my arrival, your letter of January 17, referring to House joint resolution 112, and asking information as to the amount of interest which the government would have realized had the proposed law been adopted as a part of the national banking law.

"If the surplus of money in excess of fifty millions working capital had been deposited in clearinghouse cities in proportion to the relative capital of each bank therein, with no other security than a prior lien upon the bank's assets, the government would have lost nothing, and if the government had realized 2 per cent, upon the funds so deposited, it would have received $52,- 000,000. Aided in this way, the banks referred to, would have been able to increase credit accommodations to the people in the sum of $200,000,000.

"This computation was made at the instance of my predecessor (one year ago,) and was based upon quarterly, rather than daily, balances.

"I think some provision for the deposit of surplus funds belonging to the United States government with national banks upon security other than government bonds, would be wise, though I doubt the limitations as to the amount of capital and surplus contained in the bill. I also question the wisdom of mandatory provisions of law. On the contrary, I think there should be a fair latitude of discretion. Authority to act in a given line is generally sufficient.

[Signed] LESLIE M. SHAW.

THE NATIVE FILIPINO A QUEER CHARACTER.

WOMEN MORE THAN MEN MANAGE GENERAL AFFAIRS.

Male Shows Capacity for Skilled Labor, but is Negligent of Machinery and is not So Thrifty as a Chinaman. Crowds are Well-behaved and Polite.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—In his statement before the Senate Committee on the Philippines, Gov. Taft today dwelt especially upon the relationship of the military and civil authorities in the Philippines, and his explanation was received with much interest by the members of the committee. The day's session began with the understanding that there should be no interruption by the members of the committee until the presentation of this entire branch of the subject was completed.

Gov. Taft said that there had been some difference of opinion as to the method of administration, and that naturally the natives were more favorably inclined toward the civil government because they were represented by men of their own nationality in that branch of the service, while on the other hand, the army was principally concerned in bringing the war to an end. He thought, however, the military authorities were coming to look with more favor on the civil institutions.

In reply to a question, Gov. Taft said there are thirty-four organized and fifteen unorganized provinces. In answer to a question by Senator Patterson, Gov. Taft said it was not true that a majority of the people can read and write.

As to the position of women in the islands, he said that the women of the Philippines hold a superior position. They are active managers in general affairs, and the Spanish archbishop had said to him that if it were intended to confer any political authority upon the Filipinos, it should be conferred upon the female sex.

NATIVE CHARACTERISTICS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—"Is it not true," interrupted Senator Dietrich, who has visited the Philippines, "while the women are engaged in conducting the affairs of the family, the men are generally engaged in attending cockfights or going about the country with roosters under their arms?"

Mr. Patterson, in answer, read from the War Department report to the effect that the Tagalos are industrious, courteous, artistic, quiet and orderly. Gov. Taft said that he had never met a Filipino who was not a musician, and he added: "All Filipino crowds are well behaved and polite, and the people are courteous. The Filipino also shows capacity for skilled labor, but he is negligent of machinery. I wish it were true that the Filipino is as industrious as it is claimed, but he is not. Indeed, there are many of them who might secure work who do not seek it. This condition leads to a demand for the bringing in of Chinese."

This statement led Senator Hall to make inquiry concerning the presence of Chinese. The witness replied that the contractors and business men generally contend for the necessity of bringing in the Chinese labor. The importation was, however, generally resented by the natives, not so much because of the competition of the Chinese as laborers as because of their competition as merchants. The Chinamen generally saved his wages, and in a few months would establish a mercantile establishment, the result being that the next-door neighbor, a native, would be driven out. He said, further, that, under the present regulations, no Chinese are admitted.

Replying to other questions, Gov. Taft stated that in the islands there are about five million acres of land held by private persons, and that of this, 403,000 acres are owned by the Catholic friars. Of these 402,000 acres, 250,000 are the best lands in the islands.

As to the honesty of the native Filipino, Gov. Taft said that many exaggerated and extreme pictures had been drawn. They were neither so bad nor so good as they had been reported. Many were arrested for theft, and there also were charges of treachery and duplicity. That some are dishonest and others double-faced, was true, but that all presented these characteristics was not true. Hence, no general characterization was possible. Referring to the order of concentration in Batangas, Gov. Taft said he had been misunderstood yesterday in saying that he had advised Gen. Bell against it. He had recommended that the order should not be made so wide in its scope as it was.

The committee adjourned to meet tomorrow, when Gov. Taft, at the request of Senator Lodge, will discuss the tariff question as applied to the Philippines.

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VENEZUELAN SITUATION.

SERIOUS EXCEPT FOR AMERICA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Very little information has been received by this government in regard to political disturbances in Venezuela, but the situation there is regarded as serious. No immediate outbreak that will endanger American interests is expected, however, and the government appears to be satisfied that the danger, recently reported, of a mutiny among Venezuelan troops at Caracas has passed. The reports printed this morning that the Venezuelan forces had met defeat at the hands of the insurgents created some surprise here, in view of the recent assuring advices which led to the withdrawal of the battleship Indiana from Curacao and the North Atlantic squadron from Culebra.

The training ship Prairie sailed today from Martinique for the Gulf of Para, at the mouth of the Amazon. She will be held in readiness to proceed to La Guayra if the Venezuelan situation shall become more acute. The government apparently has reason to believe that Germany does not intend to make any hostile demonstration against Venezuela at this time. After an exchange of views between President Roosevelt and Von Holleben, the German Ambassador, over Germany's proposed naval expedition to Venezuelan waters to collect claims due the subjects of the Kaiser, it was supposed that the expedition would proceed at once to La Guayra. In the mean time, however, insurrection against President Castro began, and Germany expressed her intention of postponing the execution of her purpose until internal disturbances had passed.

BELLINGHAM BAY PROJECTS.

ELECTRIC LINE OVER CASCADES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is announced today that P. B. Cornwall and other San Francisco owners of the Bellingham Bay and British Columbia Railroad have decided to spend several millions in carrying out two gigantic enterprises. One will be the development of the water power of Nooksack Falls, in Whatcom county, and the conversion of the same into electric power.

The other project is the extension of the Bellingham Bay and British Columbia Railroad from Maple Falls, in Whatcom county, across the Cascade Mountains to Winthrop, in Okanagon county. Fifteen miles of the road will be built this year to Nooksack Falls. If possible, the railroad across the Cascades will be operated by electricity.

Work on a 145-foot tunnel at Nooksack Falls is now under way. It will convey three pipe lines to the powerhouse, fifteen hundred feet below, giving water power in triplicate, with electrical machinery in duplicate, for the generation of 10,000 horse power.

BAD FOR CUBA.

STRONG MOVEMENT IN HOUSE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS. P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The petition of members of the House of Representatives, addressed to the Ways and Means Committee asking that no legislation on Cuba be framed which shall injuriously affect American industries has now received seventy-five signatures, mainly of Republican members.

ANTI-ANARCHIST BILL.

PROTECTS AMBASSADORS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The anti-anarchist bill, which will be reported to the House in a day or two, contains one feature not heretofore alluded to. This is a provision giving to foreign ambassadors and ministers accredited to Washington, protection against assaults and punishing with death any such assault which results in the death of a foreign Ambassador or Minister.

The section providing severe penalties for conspiracies in this country against foreign rulers does not, however, embrace ambassadors and ministers as Chairman Ray of the Judiciary Committee, who is drafting the report, feels that great care is necessary not to exceed the constitutional right to punish crimes originating within the States. The protection of foreign rulers against conspiracies is considered justified by the law of nations, but it is not deemed expedient to extend this to ambassadors and ministers residing here.

GOING TO CHARLESTON.

THE PRESIDENTIAL PARTY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The President and Mrs. Roosevelt and a party who will accompany them to the Charleston Exposition, will leave here for the South next Monday night, in a special train over the Southern Railway.

In the President's party will be Secretaries Wilson and Hitchcock, Atty.-Gen. Knox and Postmaster-General Payne and the ladies of their families.

LAND FOR MISSION INDIANS.

BILL IN BOTH HOUSES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Needham introduced in the House today a bill appropriating $100,000 for purchasing lands for the Mission Indians now on Warner's ranch in San Diego county. This bill is the one prepared by the Interior Department and sent to Congress for introduction by Secretary Hitchcock after the Indian agents had made investigations in California regarding what ought to be done for these Indians. The same bill was also introduced by Senator Bard.

NEW DISTRICT COURT.

DENIAL CONCERNING NEEDHAM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Reports are being circulated in California that a new United States District Court is to be established in California by Congress, and that Representative Needham is a candidate for appointment as judge of the new court. Mr. Needham denies this. No denial is needed, however, from the fact that an appointment of a member of Congress to a judicial position created while he is a member of Congress is forbidden by law.

TARIFF IN TREATIES.

GIVES HOUSE NO POWER.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, which had been giving especial attention to the legal aspect of the reciprocity treaties, today reported its findings to the full committee, and Senator Spooner was authorized to prepare a written report on the subject.

The committee concludes that the power to make commercial treaties rests with the President and the Senate, and that the fact that they involve questions of tariff, does not render it necessary that the House of Representatives should have equal opportunity to consider them.

REV. BALDWIN'S ARGUMENT.

CHINESE EXCLUSION UNJUST.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Rev. S. L. Baldwin, secretary of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was heard by the House Committee on Foreign Affairs today, in opposition to the Mitchell-Kahn bill for Chinese exclusion. He took the position that general restrictions on immigrants should govern all nationalities alike, and that discrimination against the Chinese alone was not to the public interest.

President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor continued his statement in support of the bill. He exhibited fac similes of the instructions sent by the Chinese to their friends in China, pointing out the way they get into this country. Mr. Gompers also stated that Maxwell Evarts of New York, who advocated an extension of the Geary law, had attacked that law in the United States Supreme Court, and that the contention of its invalidity was still before the courts. The hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE RATES.

BILL TO AID COMMISSION.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Senator Nelson today introduced a bill prepared by the National Millers' Association, providing for the amendment of the Interstate Commerce Law. It empowers the Interstate Commerce Commission to fix rates for transportation and abolishes punishment by imprisonment.

With reference to the fixing of rates, the bill provides that "if the commission, after full hearing upon petition, determine that the defendant is in violation of any of the provisions of the act in respect to any rate, relation of rates, whether between localities or commodities, classification of freight or other practice, it shall be its duty to determine what rate, relation of rates, classification or other price should be observed for the future, in order to correct the wrong found to exist, and it shall order the defendant to observe the same."

Power is given to fix joint rates where necessary. The order fixing such rates is to be served twenty days before taking effect. Review of all cases by the Circuit and the Supreme courts of the United States is provided for. The commission's rate orders are made binding for two years. Circuit courts are given authority to enforce the orders of the commission.

Every carrier, who transports traffic at any other than the published rates, or under other conditions not in consonance with Interstate Commerce law, is made amenable to a fine of not less than $1000, nor more than $20,000.

NOT A FORCE BILL.

THAT RESOLUTION ON SUFFRAGE

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Representative Crumpacker of Indiana, author of the resolution presented to the Republican caucus, Monday night, and to be further considered at a caucus next Monday night, authorizes the following statement as to the general purposes of the movement to correct any impression that it is in the nature of a "force bill."

"The resolution submitted to the caucus was designed to secure full investigation of the suffrage question, not only in the South, but in all the States that have imposed material restrictions upon manhood suffrage. There is a general belief that a number of States have disfranchised a large portion of their citizens, that the colored population, by the operation of State laws, is entirely eliminated as a political quantity, and yet it counts in apportioning Representatives among the States. It is the general belief that the Southern States have at least thirty-five Representatives in the House and the Electoral College, resting upon a fictitious basis. If this be found to be true in fact, and representation be reduced accordingly, as the Constitution imperatively requires, it would go a long way toward settling the race question. Such a method would have none of the characteristics of a 'force bill.' It would require no force for its execution. Disfranchising States would suffer a reduction of political power, which they could regain by educating their citizens and admitting them to the privilege of the ballot. The whole question would rest with those States.

"But the caucus is asked simply to authorize a thorough investigation of the whole question, through a Congressional committee, especially appointed and equipped for that purpose, and when the facts as they really exist are laid before Congress and the country, such action may then be taken as the situation requires."

FAVORABLE REPORT.

DANISH WEST INDIES TREATY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations today ordered a favorable report on the treaty to acquire the Danish West Indies. No amendment was made to the treaty in committee.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Money for Government Service.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—The Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill, increasing appropriations for numerous branches of the government service, was completed today by the House Committee on Appropriations. It carries $25,163,899, or about half a million below the estimates. In the item increasing specific salaries, 266 increases are on account of rural free delivery.

OLEO LAW INVALID.

CARDILLAC (Mich.) Feb. 5.—Judge Clutenden, in the Circuit Court here, today declared the State law prohibiting the sale of colored oleomargarine to be unconstitutional.

New Curtains and Carpets.

Our Window Curtains and Portieres have a world of taste and refinement in every fold, giving a crispness and freshness. Our carpets are best grades, selected by the best critics. There are only three primary colors, but thousands of shades. Come in and see the new effects in colorings.

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MUSGRAVE BOASTED OF A DOUBLE CRIME.

NEW MEXICO OUTLAW BAND ROBS PAY CAR AND BANK.

With Sheriff's Posse Hot on His Trail, He Stops to Get Horses From Ranchmen and to Tell Them of His Misdoings.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EL CAPITAL (N. M.) Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] George L. Musgrave and his gang of outlaws are at large again in the Territory, with a posse headed by the Sheriff of Lincoln county in pursuit, five hours behind, on a hot trail. The gang called at the Block ranch this morning, commandeered all available stock, saying they had robbed Goode & Co.'s pay car and the Santa Rosa Bank, and were headed for the mountains to escape the vigilantes. The condition of the horses proved they had had an exhausting ride, for the animals were staggering as they reached the Block ranch.

There is scarcely any doubt of the identity of the leader, as the story of the double robbery is just the kind of work that Musgrave delights in. With deputies an hour behind, he has boasted of plundering, and he is known throughout the Territory as a robber who never concealed a crime, or who failed to pay ranchmen for stock taken in his seeking strongholds in the mountains.

The town is at the boiling point, expecting to hear of the capture of the outlaws, as Lincoln's Sheriff wants them for old scores.

In the Schley Inquiry

The judges were divided. In the champagne controversy all connoisseurs agree that G. H. MUMM'S EXTRA DRY owes its superiority to its unsurpassed quality. Its imports in 1901 were 121,200 cases—nearly 60,000 cases more than any other brand. Immense reserves guarantee the maintenance of its quality.

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This is the second week of the big sale of go-carts. We have reduced all the prices. Every go-cart in stock will be sold for $3.00 to $5.00 less than the regular prices. Artistic designs in reed bodies fitted with the best running gear and with rubber tired wheels and foot brake. Adjustable back and front, either of which can be raised and lowered independent of the other.

FRIDAY'S SPECIAL

Half Price Remnants.

On Friday only you can choose from any and every remnant in stock at exactly half price. The assortment includes all kinds of drapery and upholstery materials in light or heavy weight. Prices are cut exactly in two, but for Friday only.

$ 5.00 Go-carts cut to	$ 2.50
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$16.00 Go-carts cut to	$11.00

Oriental Rugs.

The Khan Saradj collection of Oriental rugs is still attracting a good deal of attention from rug connoisseurs. This collection consists of 730 pieces valued at $40,000. Many have been sold, but there is still a good assortment of the finest rugs ever brought to America.

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PARIS, Fr., 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] Civil Court today heard the claim of a Parisian lace manufacturer against Miss Sybil Sanderson for f.18,951 for lace purchased in 1899. The defense of Miss Sanderson was that she had been promised all the time she wanted in order to pay this amount, and as her income was only f.50,000, she wanted ten years. The defendant also declared the prices on the lace to be exorbitant. The court will render judgment next week.

SPLENDID APARTMENTS FOR PRINCE HENRY.

ENTIRE FIRST FLOOR OF WILLARD HOTEL ENGAGED.

It is Furnished on the Same Magnificent Scale as the Waldorf-Astoria, and the Prince Will Be Able to Enjoy Complete Privacy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Negotiations have been concluded between the officials of the German Embassy and the management of Willard Hotel to secure the entire first floor of that hostelry for the occupancy of Prince Henry of Prussia and his suite during their stay in the national capital.

The Prince will occupy the apartments of the hotel Thursday afternoon and the night of February 27, and Friday night and Saturday morning, February 28, and March 1. It is probable he may also occupy them Monday afternoon, February 24.

This is another evidence of the lavish preparations which are being made to receive and entertain the brother of the German Emperor. The appointments and general finishings of the first floor of the Willard Hotel are far superior to those of a majority of the castles and palaces of Europe. This floor, directly above the office and lobby, contains about eighteen sleeping apartments, and a magnificent separate dining room. The rooms are divided into several suites comprising bedrooms, baths, libraries and private parlors. Besides this, there is a large reception parlor on the southeast corner of the first floor overlooking both Fourteenth street and Pennsylvania avenues.

Each of the apartments is furnished on the same scale of grandeud and upon the same elaborate system as the Waldorf-Astoria, New York. Not only will the Prince be accommodated in these apartments, but also his whole suite can be quartered near him where they can be summoned at a moment's notice. The Prince can have his own retinue of servants and attendants, and be entirely secluded from the throng of guests in other parts of the hotel.

ARRIVAL AT ST. THOMAS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. THOMAS (D. W. I.) Feb. 5.—[By West Indian Cable.] The German imperial yacht Hohenzollern, which left Kiel January 18 and touched at Gibraltar, January 23, arrived here this morning.

Admiral Count Von Baudissin, the commander, was seen on board the yacht. He said that the Hohenzollern had had an unusually fine voyage through the North Sea over the Bay of Biscay and the Atlantic, and that no incident of importance occurred during the trip. The Hohenzollern will coal here Thursday, and will leave next Saturday for Bermuda, where she expects to arrive after a run of about two and one-half days. At Bermuda the yacht will coal, and remain one day and a half. She will then leave for New York, and hopes to make the run from Bermuda to that port in forty hours, or she may await fine weather at Bermuda. Admiral Von Baudissin expressed pleasure at his approaching visit to the United States.

The Hohenzollern is a magnificent boat. Her rooms are finished in bird's-eye maple and rosewood, and are beautifully papered and decorated with quantities of the pictures, photographs and sketches collected during the tours made by Emperor William. It appears that the Hohenzollern never fires salutes.

Admiral Van Baudissin visited the Governor of the Danish West Indies at noon. He will dine with the Governor tonight. When the admiral landed, he was saluted by the shore battery. The Governor visited the admiral on board the Hohenzollern this afternoon. The report that Prince William Ettel Frederick is on board the Hohenzollern is untrue.

FLASHES FROM THE WIRES.

The Archduke Francis Ferdinand, heir presumptive to the thrones of Austria and Hungary, started yesterday for St. Petersburg. The Czar's private train will meet him at the frontier.

Mrs. Rebecca Evilsizer, who would have been 100 years of age March 12, committed suicide at the home of her son near South Whitley, Ind. She choked herself to death by stuffing a large handkerchief down her throat. She was thought to be sleeping when found dead.

At a great United Protestant demonstration held in London resolutions were passed against the confessional and the celebration of mass within the Church of England, the growth of which was alleged to be mainly due to the abuse of church patronage by the government and the episkopate.

SUNDAY SALOON BILL.

ALBANY (N. Y.) Feb. 5.—Dist.-Atty. Jerome of New York today submitted to the Democratic leaders of both the Senate and Assembly an excise amendment, permitting the opening of saloons between 1 p.m. and 11 p.m. on Sunday. It was decided that the bill would be introduced by "request."

Rancher Held Up.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 5.—A rancher of Glendale, ten miles from here, reports that three men on horseback followed him from Phoenix to his home a night or two ago, and as he entered his house held him up and relieved him of $60. He had a check cashed in a Phoenix saloon, and believes the highwaymen saw the incident and followed him.

Two Men Asphyxiated.

VICTORIA (B. C.) Feb. 5.—Chief Engineer Smith and James Stelker, a deck hand and son of the captain of the steamer Iroquois, were found dead in their room on the steamer at Sydney this morning. The pipe of a coal stove in the room had fallen down during the night, and both men were suffocated by the fumes.

No Argument Needed.

Every Sufferer from Catarrh Knows that Salves, Lotions, Washes, Sprays and Douches Do Not Cure.

Powders, lotions, salves, sprays and inhalers cannot really cure Catarrh, because this disease is a blood disease, and local applications, if they accomplish anything, at all, simply give transient relief.

The catarrhal poison is in the blood and the mucous membrane of the nose, throat and trachea tries to relieve the system by secreting large quantities of mucous, the discharge sometimes closing up the nostrils, dropping into the throat, causing deafness by closing the Eustachian tubes, and after a time causing catarrh of stomach or serious throat and lung troubles.

A remedy to really cure catarrh must be an internal remedy which will cleanse the blood from catarrhal poison and remove the fever and congestion from the mucous membrane.

The best and most modern remedies for this purpose are antiseptics scientifically known as Eucalyptol, Guaiacol, Sanguinaria and Hydrastin, and while each of these have been successfully used separately, yet it has been difficult to get them all combined in one palatable, convenient and efficient form.

The manufacturers of the new catarrh cure, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets, have succeeded admirably in accomplishing this result. They are large, pleasant tasting lozenges, to be dissolved in the mouth, thus reaching every part of the mucous membrane of the throat and finally the stomach.

Unlike many catarrh remedies, Stuart's Catarrh Tablets contain no cocaine, opiate or any injurious drug whatever and are equally beneficial for little children and adults.

Mr. C. R. Rembrandt of Rochester, N. Y., says: "I know of few people who have suffered as much as I from Catarrh of the head, throat and stomach. I used sprays, inhalers and powders for months at a time with only slight relief, and had no hope of cure. I had not the means to make a change of climate, which seemed my only chance of cure.

"Last spring I read an account of some remarkable cures made by Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and promptly bought a fifty-cent. box from my druggist and obtained such positive benefit from that one package that I continued to use them daily until I now consider myself entirely free from the disgusting annoyance of catarrh; my head is clear, my digestion all I could ask and my hearing, which had begun to fail as a result of the catarrh, has greatly improved until I feel I can hear as well as ever. They are a household necessity in my family."

Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are sold by druggists at 50 cents for complete treatment and for convenience, safety and prompt results they are undoubtedly the long-looked for catarrh cure.

SPORTING RECORD.

NO LICENSE. FOR KENNEDY.

'Frisco Supervisors Desire to Revoke It.

Yosemite Club's Match May Be Spoiled.

Biddy Bishop in Bad Way—Favorites at Oakland. Hammer Throw.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The permit granted to the Yosemite Athletic Club by the Board of Supervisors may be rescinded by that body at the next meeting. The discovery has been made that Jim Kennedy, stigmatized by Supervisor Braunhart as the "Prince of fakers," is negotiating in the East as the matchmaker of the Yosemite Club, and as the assurance was given that Kennedy was in no wise connected with the club when the board issued the permit, several Supervisors think they were imposed upon, and they are in favor of revoking the permit next Monday.

CUTS SIGOURNEY OUT.

SCHMITT HAS WITHDRAWN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] C. S. Norris of New York found Charles Threshie of Boston an easy mark in the evening game of the class A billiard tournament, in progress at the Knickerbocker Athletic Club. Norris won by a score of 400 to 232, after a rather uninteresting contest. Dr. A. B. Miller, a former Knickerbocker Athletic Club champion, won the afternoon game from John A. Hendrick of New York, the former champion of Connecticut, by a score of 400 to 335. It was the slowest game in the tournament thus far, requiring eighty-one innings to finish. Both men played far below their usual form. Dr. Miller's run of thirty-three was the only good spurt.

Charles S. Schmitt of Boston has withdrawn from the tournament on account of illness in his family. This cuts Sigourney's credit out of one game already won.

BIDDY BISHOP ILL.

IS IN A BAD WAY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Biddy Bishop, the well-known boxing promoter, is in a bad way at his home in Berkeley. Bishop has been sick abed since last September, and the doctors fear he will be a cripple if he ever gets well. He is a native of Kentucky, but came to the Coast in 1884. He was formerly manager of "Young Peter Jackson," Al Neill, Perry Queenan and other well-known pugilists.

PLAW'S GREAT THROW.

BREAK'S WORLD'S RECORD.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

BERKELEY, Feb. 5.—In a practice throw on the campus, Alfred D. Plaw, of the University of California, hurled the 16-pound hammer 187 feet and 4 inches from a seven-foot circle. The world's record, held by Flanigan of New York, is 171 feet 5 inches, and the American intercollegiate record, held by Plaw, and made in 1900, is 165 feet 9 inches. Plaw will go East with the university track team this spring.

PUBLIC WENT HOME IN A HAPPY MOOD.

FIVE FAVORITES GO UNDER THE WIRE IN FRONT.

Esternell the Only Outsider to Break the Slate—Defeats Montoyo and The First Choice Lass of Langdon—Plunger Lewis Ruled Off.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Five favorites won at Oakland today, and the public went home in a happy frame of mind. The only upset occurred in the third race, where Esternell won from Montoyo and Lass of Langdon, the latter being the favorite. In the two-year-old event, Hudson won by a neck from Amoruna, while Nigrette, a 40-to-1 shot, was a close third. O'Connor and Jackson each rode two winners.

Harry Lewis, who attracted so much attention through his plunging tactics, was today ruled off by the stewards as a "welcher," he having failed to appear and pay markers' bet on Lass of Langdon last week. Summary:

One mile, selling: Bob Palmer, 109 (Hoar,) 13 to 5, won; Monda, 114 (Jackson,) 4 to 1, second; Courtier, 109 (J. Woods,) 9 to 2, third; time 1:45½. Kastaine, Talma, Rey del San Juan, The Gaffer and Grayiette also ran.

Three and a half furlongs, selling: Hudson (O'Connor,) even, won; Amoruna (Ransch,) 2½ to 1, second; Nigrette (J. Daly,) 40 to 1, third; time 0:43¼. Montezuma, Dismay, Annie F. and Minnie Drossel also ran.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Esternell, 107 (J. Woods,) 5 to 1, won; Montoyo, 107 (J. Burns,) 7 to 1, second; Lass of Langdon, 102 (Ransch,) 11 to 5, third; time 1:10. Baltest, Arthur Ray, Knockings, Sleeping Child, Armado, Clear Sky and Mike Murphy also ran. Chaddoo excused.

Mile and fifty yards, selling: Diderot, 106 (O'Connor,) 3 to 5, won; Pat Morrissey, 110 (Bullman,) 16 to 5, second; Quadra, 94 (Jackson,) 7 to 1, third; time 1:46½. Norford, Montana Peeress and Sachtel also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Scorpio, 109 (Jackson,) 1 to 2, won; Bard Burns 104 (Hoar,) 7 to 1, second; Huachuca, 97 (Birkenruth,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:15¼. Mission, Ned Dennis, Isaline and Forbes also ran.

Seven furlongs, selling: Eonic, 99 (Jackson,) 11 to 20, won; Gusto, 107 (Burns,) 8 to 1, second; Bragg, 98 (Ransch,) 20 to 1 third; time 1:30. Commissioner Forster Captivate Bab Lady Sterling and Lento also ran.

New Orleans Sport.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 5.—One mile and seventy yards, selling: Philma Paxton won, Swordsman second, Prince Real third; time 1:53.

Five furlongs, selling: Barney Seal won, Ed Gartleand II second, Billiardist third; time 1:14½.

Steeplechase, handicap, full course: W. H. Dixon won, Coley second, Dagmar third; time 5:05.

One mile and an eighth, handicap: Ida Tedford won, Malay second, Henry of Franstamar third; time 2:00.

Mile and an eighth, selling: Beana won, Strangest second, Pay the Fiddler third; time 2:05¼.

One mile, selling: Garter Ban won, Rose of May second, Cast Iron third; time 1:47½.

Vote Against Increase.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—There will be no large increase in the board of managers of the Metropolitan Association of Amateur Athletic Unions during the coming year. The result of the mail vote, which was called for a month ago, has been announced by John J. Dixon, secretary of the local association, and it shows that only eight clubs voted for the individual club representation out of a total of thirty-five.

DRINK HOT CELERY PHOSPHATE. Good for that tired feeling. We serve it free.

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Fifth Annual Mid-Winter Shoe Sale.

This is the greatest shoe sale that we ever launched. There are more than two solid carloads of new stylish dependable shoes for men, women and children that were purchased direct from the factories at prices that in some instances barely cover the cost of the leather in the shoes. All new, stylish, up-to-date shoes at lower prices than are being charged about town for time-worn antiquated footwear that has been accumulating for years.

Every Pair of These Shoes Bears the Union Label.

Men's $4.00 Shoes $2.98.
Everything that's new and desirable is embraced in our line at this price. Fine patent leather shoes for dress, heavy box calf shoes for wet weather, vici kid shoes with light or heavy weight hand-welted soles, serviceable, stylish shoes, every pair bearing the union label, splendid value at $4.00; priced for this sale, per pair, $2.98.

Women's $2.50 Shoes $1.50.
These are of fine vici kid, or box calf light weight dress soles or heavy extension soles, neat desirable lasts, military heels, stylish, perfect fitting shoes in sizes and widths for every foot, splendid values at $2.50; priced for this sale at, per pair, $1.50.

Women's $3.00 Shoes at $1.95.
All leathers and all styles are represented in this lot, light dress shoes, heavy walking shoes, slippers and sandals for evening wear, anything you want in up-to-date footwear, splendid values at $3; priced for this sale, per pair, $1.95.

Women's $4.00 Golf Boots $2.48.
Women's golf boots made of fine Russia calf, hand-welted soles, 10-inch tops, all sizes and widths, just the thing for stormy weather, good value at $4; priced for this sale, per pair, $2.48.

Boys' Shoes $1.23.
Made of genuine calfskin, solid oak leather soles, neat and dressy, yet strong and durable, sizes 13 to 5½, better than the average $1.50 shoe; priced for this sale, per pair, $1.23.

Women's $3 Patent Leather Shoes $1.50
Women's lace shoes, made of patent vici kid, has the high polish of the ordinary patent leather, but will not check nor crack; these shoes are finished with light dress soles, made over the latest and most approved lasts, sizes and widths to fit any and every foot, splendid value at $3; priced for this sale, per pair, $1.50.

Misses' Shoes $1.48.
Made of good quality vici kid or box calf, best oak leather, extension soles, lace or button tops, neat appearing, yet strong and serviceable, sizes 11 to to 2, $1.48; children's sizes, 8½ to 11, $1.23.

Men's Calf Shoes $1.23.
Men's shoes made of good solid calfskin, sewed soles of solid oak tan leather, lace or congress, plain or round toe, all sizes, good value at $2.00; priced for this sale, per pair, $1.23.

Men's $3.50 Shoes $2.23.
Men's shoes of either box calf or vici kid—new, up-to-date lasts, welted soles of best oak tan sole leather, best of style and workmanship, all sizes, splendid value at $3.50; priced for this sale, per pair, $2.23.

Men's $3.00 Shoes $1.89.
Made of good solid calfskin, lined with leather, strongly sewed double extension soles, made with full round toes, all sizes, splendid value at $3; priced for this sale, per pair, $1.89.

Special Offerings from Stationery Department.

Crepe paper, all colors, either Dennison's or the Crystal finished crepe paper, 10-ft rolls, always sells for 10c; on sale today at, per roll..... 5c

Note paper, heavy quality, plain or ruled, oxford or octave styles, pound packages, regular price 20c; on sale today, per package..... 10c

Box paper, 24 sheets of fine grade note paper, with envelopes to match, neatly boxed, would be cheap at 15c; on sale today, per box..... 10c

Valentines, only a little more than a week now to Valentine's day; we make special prices on all grades of valentines; prices range upward from, each..... 1c

Jewelry Department's Special for Thursday.

Belt buckles, a small lot of about 200, gilt and black finished belt buckles, good durable clasps, regular 15c value; on sale today at, each 5c

Handsome belt buckles, about 500 in this lot, all styles, values from 35c to 75c; on sale today at, each.... 25c

Back combs made of fancy shell, large variety of styles, not a comb in the lot worth less than 25c; on sale today at, each.. 10c

Steel chatelaines and steel wrist bags, new arrivals, splendid value at $1.50; on sale today at, each..... 98c

$20.00 in Gold Coin for Two Letters.

We want a number of people to write us letters. We are willing to pay a good price for these letters. We will give $10 to the man or boy, also $10 to the woman or girl, who writes the best letter on the subject, "WHY I TRADE AT THE BROADWAY DEPARTMENT STORE." The letter must not contain more than one hundred words, and must bear the name and address of the party by whom it is written. These letters must be in our hands before 6 o'clock Wednesday, the 12th day of February. The names of the parties entitled to the $10 prizes will be published as soon after that date as possible.

Address all Letters to Advertising Manager.

Special Items on Sale From 9 to 11 a. m., Thursday Only.

Women's silk and satin belts, large variety to select from, pretty designs that are good values up to 35c. On sale this morning from 9 to 11 only, each..... 19c

Thick scratch tablets for school or desk use, good size, regular 5c ones. On sale this morning from 9 to 11 only, each..... 3c

Men's Blue Suits $7.50.
Men's suits of indigo blue, slate or flannel, made with removable buttons; suitable for street car men's uniform; well lined and neatly finished; square or round cut sacques; this is the grade suit that is sold in most clothing stores as a special bargain at $10; our price, per suit, $7.50.

$2.50 Corduroy Pants $1.98.
Men's pants of dark brown corduroy; warranted not to rip; made with seamless waistbands, finished with strong riveted buttons that won't pull off; the strongest, most serviceable pant made for a working man; always sold at $2.50; our price, per pair, $1.98.

Men's $2.50 Hats $1.48
Men's hats, made of good grade fur felt, all the new shapes and colors, splendidly finished; these hats are superior in quality, style and finish to the average $3.00; our price each, $1.48.

Right Off the Ice.

Mothers are invited to come in and inspect the new goods.

We are the largest handlers of Boys' Clothing in Southern California.

From the Cold and Effete East. New Spring Clothes For Boys.

Spring Styles Star Waists, Star Shirts Now on Sale.

We have just opened and placed on sale a large invoice of new Spring Clothes for the boys, ages 2½ to 16 years. Consisting of very handsome and popular price styles of Sailors, Norfolks and the little manly suits (with vests), also two-piece, double breasted square cut suits in a full range of correct cloths and colorings for the new season.

London Clothing Co.

HARRIS & FRANK, Props. 117 to 125 North Spring.

POWERS INTERESTED.

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through her Ambassador, proposed a new collective note, in which the powers should declare that Europe regarded America's armed intervention in Cuba as unjustifiable, the other Ambassadors telegraphed to their home governments asking for instructions. The step failed through Germany's positive refusal. This gives, as it appears to us, a picture essentially different from the English statement. A fortnight later war was declared.

"Afterward, in June and July, while the United States was making great progress in the Philippines, England tried to induce the Spanish commission in England to ask for peace proposals, for to no power was the American encroachment in the Pacific more annoying than to England.

"The above is the historical connection of events. We hope that in giving the same we have thoroughly exposed the absurdity of the English legend."

A BLOOMING DENTAL.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 5.—The Associated Press has the highest official authority for denying the story printed by the Kreuz Zeitung of Berlin today, as to the part taken by Lord Pauncefote, the British Ambassador at Washington, in the Spanish-American War intervention, in spite of the confirmation of the story by the German Foreign Office.

Rock Pile for Tramps.

SALINAS, Feb. 5.—Owing to the large influx of tramps the Board of Supervisors today instructed the Sheriff of Monterey county to put county prisoners at work upon a rock pile, and to do other work. It is thought this measure will keep an undesirable class away.

Joseph Jefferson is a member of the Sunshine Society, having joined the Purina Mills branch in St. Louis, while playing in that city.

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	28	12	20	New York	20	10	15
Washington	23	6	16	Buffalo	14	6	10
Pittsburgh	16	2	9	Cincinnati	16	2	9
Chicago	6	*8	*4	St. Paul	0	*14	*7
St. Louis	12	4	8	Kansas City	12	0	6
Los Angeles	62	40	51	Jacksonville	60	36	48

*Below zero.

**The maximum is for February 4; the minimum for February 5. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Report and Forecast.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Feb. 5.—[Reported by George E. Franklin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.00; at 5 p.m., 29.95. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 41 deg. and 55 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 96 per cent.; 5 p.m., 76 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., calm; 5 p.m., west, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 40 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions. —The storm continues on the Northern Slope, and is giving rain to Central California and Nevada. The pressure continues to fall and the depression remains on the western slope of the Rocky Mountains, with unsettled weather and possibility of showers in Southern California, as stated by the general forecast. Rain has fallen heavily in the vicinity of Cape Mendocino, 2.38 inches being recorded in the past twenty-four hours at Eureka.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight and Thursday; possibly showers by Thursday.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The following are the seasonal rainfalls to date, as compared with those of the same date last season, and rainfall in the last twenty-four hours:

Stations—	Last twenty-four hours.	This season.	Last season.
Eureka	1.44	29.35	31.49
Red Bluff	1.06	22.52	27.16
Sacramento	.12	7.41	12.22
San Francisco	.18	7.28	14.24
Fresno	....	3.66	8.30
Independence	....	1.39	5.22
San Luis Obispo	....	6.24	25.22
Los Angeles	....	4.21	9.66
San Diego	....	2.46	5.00

San Francisco data: Maximum temperature, 54 deg.; minimum, 45 deg.; mean, 50 deg.

The pressure has fallen rapidly along the coast of California from San Francisco south to Point Concepcion. Conditions are favorable for showery weather on the Pacific Coast generally. Light rains have fallen from San Francisco northward. The temperatures in California are nearly normal, except in Southern California, where they are about 5 deg. below the normal. Forecast:

For Northern California: Cloudy Thursday, with showers; light southerly winds.

Southern California: Cloudy Thursday; possibly light showers; warmer; light southwest winds.

San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy Thursday, with occasional light showers; light southerly winds, changing to westerly.

Sacramento and vicinity: Cloudy Thursday; probably occasional showers; light south winds; warmer.

TEMPERATURES AT 7 A.M. YESTERDAY.

New York	10	Chicago	8
Boston	14	Minneapolis	14
Philadelphia	12	Cincinnati	2
Washington	10	St. Louis	4

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L. A. VAN, TRUCK AND STORAGE CO. Household goods shipped to and from the East and North at cut rates; separate rooms in new fire-proof warehouse for storing; experienced packers and safe movers. Office, 438 S. Broadway; Tel. M. 872. Residence, Tel. Red 1425. R. H. DUNSTON, Prop.

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BEAUTIFY YOUR HOME— By having your pictures framed at Alexander's. Pictures enlarged; new mouldings; lowest prices. 643 S. BROADWAY, between Sixth and Seventh. 11

IS YOUR OLD TRUNK BROKEN? WE WILL take it in exchange for a new one. We repair and sell our own make trunks at factory prices. SUNSET TRUNK CO., 6?? S. Spring. Tel. Peter 4[illegible].

FREE TO ALL—THERE WILL BE A course of lectures given on the subject of hypnotism, mesmerism and magnetic healing at THE WINTHROP, 330½ S. Spring st. Room 4.

L. A. STEAM CARPET CLEANING CO. WILL clean and lay carpets, to yard. We guarantee our work; refitting specialty. 129 E. Second. Tel. Main 74. R. F. BENNETT, Prop.

ALLEN'S MATTRESS FACTORY AND UPholstery, new and repair work; prompt attention, first-class work. 356 NEW HIGH ST. Phone James 3241.

TUNNEL WORK—TO LET JOB OF TUNnel work to a responsible party. Apply after 2 o'clock p.m. E. L. MAYBERRY, 107 S. Broadway.

HYPNOTISM, PERSONAL MAGNETISM, $5 11 lessons; join new class tonight (Thursday) evening. PROF. EARLEY, 800 S. Hill. Tel. Red 4770. 6

PIONEER STEAM CARPET CLEANING Works, 637 S. Broadway. Tel. Main 217. Carpets taken up, cleaned and relaid same day.

UMBRELLA AND GLOVE MAKERS—ALL kinds umbrellas made, recovered; finest kid gloves on hand; cut prices. 113 W. 4TH.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND, 50c pair. MRS. GRACE HEATH, 1234 Arnold. Tel. James 5871. Goods called for.

PAINTING AND DECORATING IN ALL ITS branches. Job work a specialty. CRAIG & BURROWS, 501 New High. Brown 191.

SELL YOUR LADIES' AND GENTS' SECond-hand clothing to UP-TO-DATE MISFIT PARLORS, 638 S. Spring. Cash paid. 6

IF YOU WANT A FIRST-CLASS WINDOW cleaner, ring up MAIN 711, or call 143 W. FIFTH. House windows a specialty.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR CAST-OFF clothing and shoes. Send postal; will call. SEGIL, 219 JACKSON ST.

SMITH & LEWIS STOVE REPAIR CO., 611 S. BROADWAY. TEL. PETER 7341.

CASH WALL PAPER STORE, 660 S. SPRING. Paper-hanging, painting, tinting. Brown 1624.

STANDARD DRESS-CUTTING ACADEMY, 329 S. B'way. Mrs. Julia E. Spaulding, Mgr.

BEST PAINT, $1.65 GAL.; U. S. LEAD, 7c; 7-ft. opaque shades, 25c. WALTER, 627 Spring.

FREE FIREWOOD FOR REMOVAL; PEPper trees and hedge. Call 2500 S. MAIN ST. 6

REMEMBER THAT MASON DOES ALL kinds of cement work. 223 W. 12TH ST. 12

SUIT CLEANING BY THE MONTH. TEL. Green 1621. 646 S. SPRING.

WANTED— Help, Male.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFfice. A strictly first-class reliable office. All kinds of help promptly furnished; your orders solicited; also work furnished by day, hour or contract. 642 S. SPRING. Tel. Brown 1632.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO LEARN barber trade; 8 weeks; success and situation guaranteed; tools donated; wages while learning; catalogue free. GORDON'S BARBER COLLEGE, 417 N. Main.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN FOR SALESMAN, cloaks and suits. Address X, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED—OFFICE MAN CAN CLEAR $100 per month; must have $500. MYERS, 319 W. First. 6

WANTED— Help, Male.

HUMMEL BROS. & CO., EMPLOYMENT AGENTS.

A Strictly First-class, Reliable Agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited.

300 S. Broadway and 100 W. Second st., basement California Bank Bldg. Telephone 509.

(Office open from 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., except Sundays.)

MEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Blacksmith, mining camp, $2.50 and board; carpenters and joiners, $3.50; private place, $30 etc.; boy, store, $4; boy and wheel, $5; boy, grocery, $4; solicitors for portraits; view photographer with apparatus; wrapper boy, $3.50; boy typewriter, $25 to $30; janitor, $35; stenographer, $25 and board and room; bookkeeper and office man, $40, board and room; tree grafter, piece or day; elevator boy, $20; woodchopper, $2.25 cord; teamsters, muckers, tunnel men, Arizona, ship tonight.

HOTEL AND RESTAURANT DEPT.

Man and wife, cook, mining camp, $90 etc.; hotel cook, $50 etc.; fry cook, $12; third cook, $12; third cook, hotel, country, $35; restaurant cook, $12; man and wife for laundry, $65 etc.; hotel clerk and book-keeper, $40 etc.; all-around cook, Arizona, $40 etc.; kitchen helper, country, $25 etc.

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT.

Family cook, Arizona, $35 etc.; second girl, same place, $20; housegirl, Redlands, $30 etc.; housegirls, city, $20 and $25; girls to assist, $10, $12 and $15.

WOMEN'S HOTEL DEPARTMENT.

Chambermaid, Santa Barbara, $20 etc.; city, $20 and $15; waitress, Ventura, $20, free fare; Pasadena, $20 and $25; Redlands, $20; chambermaids, Pasadena, $20; pantry girl, Pasadena, $20; dishwasher, city, $20.

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WANTED— C. R. HANSEN & CO., EMPLOYMENT AGENTS, 123½-125½ W. Second St., L. A., Cal. PHONE MAIN 383. CORRESPONDENCE SOLICITED. REGISTRATION FREE. S. F. Office, GEARY ST. Estab. 1876.

WANTED—HIGH-CLASS SALESMEN, STENographers, book-keepers and office and mercantile assistant, to investigate us. Our system is above reproach; no charge for registration. EDUCATIONAL EXPERT CO., 535 Byrne Block. 6

WANTED—GOOD INSIDE MAN FOR REAL estate office, $65 month; good office man (not young) for doctor's business; book-keeper and cashier for factory office, $75 month. Call in person only. 215 COPP BLDG. 6

WANTED—FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' LABOR BUREAU, 114 E. FIRST ST. W. L. HUMPHREYS, MANAGER. 'PHONE JAMES 5641.

WANTED—3 FIRST-CLASS SALESMEN FOR a new process soda fountain; big money to the right parties. Write or call after 7 o'clock this evening. Room 9, RAMONA HOTEL, city. 6

WANTED — MEN TO LEARN BARBER trade; only 2 months required; tools donated; wages earned while learning; catalogue free. MOLER'S BARBER COLLEGE, San Francisco, Cal.

WANTED—ACTIVE MAN WITH $200 CASH to buy bread route, clearing $75 month; only requires 5 hours' work daily. CAL. BUSINESS EXCHANGE, 432 Stimson Block. 6

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT Agency. All kinds of laborers are promptly furnished by the day, hour or contract. 503 W. SIXTH ST. 'Phone Joseph 7441.

WANTED—TO CORRESPOND WITH A MAN who thoroughly understands the manufacturing of orange-wood souvenirs. Address F. C. HOOGETRAAT, Redlands, Cal. 7

WANTED — 2 FIRST-CLASS DRESS-GOODS salesmen for high-class firm at good salaries. Apply today, after 9 a.m.; good reference required. 535 BYRNE BLOCK. 6

WANTED—A BRIGHT, RELIABLE STOCK boy for men's furnishings; 6 good wrappers for dry goods. Apply at once, 535 BYRNE BLOCK. 6

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED SALESMAN in dress goods; state age and experience. Address R, box 77, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — DRIVER FOR LAUNDRY, $12 week; driver for bakery, $17.50 week. Call in person only. 215 COPP BLDG. 6

WANTED—100 MEN TO SEE SMALL, CRUDE model of Solar Furnace on exhibition 10 to 3 daily at 430 E. FIFTH ST. 6

WANTED—MAN FOR CITY DELIVERY AND canvassing; good pay; references. Address X, box 92, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — GOOD, STRONG BOY, WASH bottles and work about store; wages $5 week. 408 S. SPRING. 6

WANTED—SASH AND DOOR BENCH HAND and machine hand. CARPENTER & BILES, 120 E. 3rd. 7

WANTED—MEN'S SOLES, 50c; LADIES', 30c; children's, 25c. BUSY BEE, 127 W. Fourth. 6

WANTED—BOY; STEADY EMPLOYMENT; light work. 907 E. NINTH ST. 6

WANTED — GOOD BUTCHER AT 2381½ E. First st. J. MARGOLIS. 6

WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADIES, stenographers, office and mercantile assistants, to investigate our methods. Our system is above reproach; no charge for registration. 535 BYRNE BLOCK. 6

WANTED—NICE, QUIET GIRL AS HOUSEkeeper in family of three (3;) no washing, but must be able to do plain cooking; good wages and a good home to the right party. Inquire at 1018 W. 16TH ST. 6

WANTED — 3 GOOD MAKERS IN MILLInery; one saleslady for corsets; one saleslady for hosiery; several bright young saleslad[i]es, inexperienced; positions must be filled today. 535 BYRNE BLOCK. 6

WANTED—ARTISTS, EXPERIENCED MAKing life-size water color portraits from photos; parties accustomed to air-brush preferred; steady employment. MEHESEY, JR., cor. 4th and Main.

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL, TO ASSIST IN light housekeeping in family of three young folks; brand-new house. Apply at 2822 KEY WEST, or next door at 817 W. 29TH. 6

WANTED — A NEAT, RELIABLE WOMAN who would like homelike place, Christian family; 4 adults; work light; wages reasonable. Call forenoon, 1017 E. 23D ST. 6

WANTED — A COMPETENT WOMAN FOR matron in children's hospital; must be trained nurse; references required. Address MISS A. A. SMEAD, 1245 Elden ave., city. 9

WANTED—LADIES WHO WISH TO MAKE from $1 to $5 a day during spare moments, call afternoon at 715 S. GRAND AVE., Los Angeles. 8

WANTED—GIRL FOR UPSTAIRS WORK, and to assist with baby. Address MORSE, 150 S. Orange Grove Ave., Pasadena. 6

WANTED — YOUNG LADY; ONE WHO IS careful and writes a good hand. Call from 9 to 11 a.m., 232 N. MAIN ST., room 15. 6

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; 4 in family; no washing; good wages to capable girl. Call 750 BEACON ST. 6

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS DRESSMAKERS and apprentices. MRS. STAUNTON-MELLON, 263 E. Colorado st., Pasadena. 7

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL FOR WASHING dishes and helping; no laundry work or cooking. 2642 ELLENDALE PLACE. 7

WANTED — 100 LADIES CAN SEE SMALL model of Solar Furnace on exhibition from 10 to 3 at 430 E. FIFTH ST. 6

WANTED — LADY WITH $500 CAN HAVE office position; monthly salary, $50. Address Y, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—NO. 1 CHAMBERMAID; WAGES $25 per month. Apply at WESTLAKE HOTEL, 720 Westlake ave.

WANTED—A GERMAN GIRL FOR GENeral housework; small family. 1443 CONSTANCE ST., near 16th. 6

WANTED — BUSINESS LADIES; TRAVEL on salary. Call Thursday, 1 till 5, 300½ S. BROADWAY, room 3. 6

WANTED—GIRLS AT EMPLOYMENT OFfice, 527 HERKIMER ST., Pasadena. Take North Loop car.

WANTED—GIRLS TO LEARN ON CUSTOM coats; paid while learning. 234 S. BROADWAY, room 28. 6

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS TAILORESS AS helper on pants. Apply at 356 S. BROADWAY, room 12. 6

WANTED—HAIRDRESSING TAUGHT IN 2 weeks, $10 for full course. ROOM 15, 325 Broadway. 11

WANTED—TWO WAITRESSES FOR HOTEL Del Coronado. H. F. NORCROSS, agent, 230 Spring st. 6

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork and cooking; wages $25. 1018 LAKE ST. 6

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR COMPANion, very light work. 120 W. 16TH ST. 6

WANTED—A STRONG YOUNG GIRL FOR chamberwork. 360 S. OLIVE. 6

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—TEACHER OF BOOK-KEEPING, who can be librarian and preside in study hall; prefer to pay part of salary in free tuition in selected subjects. Address COLLEGE, X, box 70, Times office. 9

WANTED—LADIES AND GENTLEMEN TO do writing at home; good offer; pay according to work done. Address, with stamp, MISS M. THOMSON, Blackville, S. C. 6

WANTED— Rooms with Board.

WANTED—SUNNY ROOM AND BOARD IN private family, little ways out of the city; rates reasonable. Address MISS GARFIELD, 60 S. Euclid ave., Pasadena. 7

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT OFfice, furnishes first-class help; cooks, waiters, houseworkers, our specialty; house-cleaning done by day, hour; also contract ranch work. T. KATAOKA, 125 W. Ninth. Tel. Peter 4121. 13

WANTED—ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN WITH adaptability and tact wishes position with successful firm; no objection to actual hard work nor long hours. For references, address Y, box 8, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED — BY JAPANESE, ANY KIND work; no more than 3 hours before 8 o'clock morning, or after 4 o'clock afternoon. Address Y, box 90, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS HOTEL CLERK; aged 22; 4 years' experience in leading hotels; no bad habits; best references. Address H., 1221 S. FIGUEROA. 7

WANTED—POSITION WITH WHOLESALE or retail grocery by young man with good references. Address A. MYERS, 215 Boyd st. 6

WANTED—THE ONLY PLACE TO FIND reliable Japanese help for farm or contractor is at 921 E. First st. ASAHI YA.

WANTED — POSITION IN STORE IN ARIzona; 4 years' experience; good reference. Address Box 28, LOS ALAMITOS, Cal. 10

WANTED—BY JAPANESE BOY, POSITION as school boy or general housework. Address Y, box 6, TIMES OFFICE. 8

WANTED — CONTRACTS FOR BUILDING houses and repair work. Address CARPENTER, 926 Aliso st. 6

WANTED—SITUATION BY JAPANESE AS good cook and housework. Address Y, box 1, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED Japanese as cook, housework. YEWAHASHI, 436 S. Spring.

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE BOY, housework or school. 230 S. MAIN. Tel. John 5781. 8

WANTED—BY PAINTER, WORK BY DAY or contract. Address Y, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — SITUATION BY A STRICTLY first-class cook; $35. P. O. BOX 658. 7

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED—YOUNG WOMAN, JUST GRADUated from one of the best business colleges in Southern California, wants position as stenographer; apt, careful and a worker. BURROWS & SLOCUM, 528 Byrne Bldg. 7

WANTED — SITUATION BY COMPETENT cook; light housework; good housekeeper; middle-aged; city, country. MISS GERARD, P. O. University, Los Angeles. 6

WANTED — YOUNG LADY WOULD LIKE room and board in exchange for services; full particulars. Address W, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — BY THOROUGHLY EXPERIenced girl, position as chambermaid. Address W, box 70, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER; competent to take full charge. 1064 BYRAM ST. 'Phone Blue 8006. 6

WANTED — BY EXPERIENCED GERMAN cook, private family, city, $25 per month. Call 326 BOYD ST. 6

WANTED — BY COLORED WOMAN, COOKing in the country. Apply MRS. HAWLEY, 254 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—A POSITION AS ENGLISH GOVerness, $25 a month. Address Y, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—SITUATION BY A COMPETENT woman as a cook; private family preferred. 113 E. THIRD. 6

WANTED—WORK IN FAMILIES BY EXPErienced dressmaker, $1.50 per day. 232 N. GRAND AVE. 6

WANTED — YOUNG LADIES WISH TO work by day in private family. MRS. BAER, 238 S. Olive. 7

WANTED — SITUATION BY WOMAN AS housekeeper. Call at 227 S. MAIN, room 63. 6

WANTED — CHAMBERWORK BY WOMEN, 222½ W. FOURTH ST. 6

WANTED— To Purchase.

WANTED— A. G. SCHLOESSER. $4000 spot cash will be immediately paid for Westlake district residence. A. G. SCHLOESSER, 258-260 Wilcox. 6

WANTED—WE HAVE A NUMBER OF CUStomers for homes, ranging from $1000 to $3000. They want to pay small cash payment, balance monthly. If you have any property of this kind, list it with us and we will sell it. L. S. M'KINNEY & CO., room 201, Frost Bldg. 6

WANTED—A LODGING-HOUSE OR FLATS this side of Arcade Depot west of Figueroa, south to Washington; must have good lot and 10 to 20 rooms; would put in $2000 cash and house and lot at 1132 E. Washington. H. H. FRYE, 136 S. Broadway. 9

WANTED — TO PURCHASE FOR CASH, from owner, vacant lot on sunny side of street; must be good value; state distance from City Hall, correct location, price and size of lot, or no notice taken. Address Y, box 18, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—7 OR 8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, southwest, between Pico and Second; not over $3500; give corner lot, Washington st., and $40 month; must be bargain and from owner. Address V, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—TO BUY, IF YOU HAVE A LOT or a house and lot you wish to sell quickly and are prepared to sell at a bargain, I will find you a customer at once. THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, 319-320 Douglas Bldg. 7

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE AND household goods. If you are going to sell, we will pay one-third more than others. 'Phone us, Red 3111. COLYEAR'S, 332 S. Main st. 6

WANTED—8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, PREferably between Hill and Figueroa north of Pico, $4000 to $6000; south or east front. E. A. FORRESTER & SON, 441 Douglas. 6

WANTED—WELL FURNISHED AND GOOD paying lodging-house, 20 to 50 rooms; a bargain for cash. Owners only reply. Address Y, box 3, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—THE BEST 5 OR 6-ROOM HOUSE to be had for cash, $1800, between Fifth and 12th and Central and Figueroa. Address X, box 91, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—WILL PAY CASH FOR A GOOD lot in Westlake district or west, but must be north of 12th, from owners only. Address R, box 68, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED—VACANT LOT, WELL LOCATED. The cash is ready if location and price will suit. HEMPHILL & CO., 626 Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—TO PURCHASE FOR CASH, 6-room cottage between Figueroa and Lake and Sixth and Tenth sts. Address R, box 69, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—GOOD PIECE OF LAND SUITable for subdivision purposes; must be reasonable in price. WARREN THOMAS, 531 Douglas Bldg. 7

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, A LODGINGhouse; well located, for transient trade; only principals answer. Address Y, box 4, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — WE HAVE 15 BUYERS FOR small homes on installments; what have you? HOVIS & MARTIN, 136 S. Broadway. 41

WANTED—BEST HOUSE WEST OF MAIN st. $5000 cash will buy; have client waiting. HANEMAN REALTY CO., 125 W. Fourth. 6

WANTED—FOR A CASH CUSTOMER, MODern flats, or a close-in lot suitable for flats. GEORGE D. RUDDY, 404 Douglas Bldg. 6

WANTED—I PAY MORE THAN ANY ONE else for store fixtures, showcases, etc. Ring up James 4171. 216 E. FOURTH ST.

WANTED—TO BUY THE FURNITURE OF 6 to 12-room rented house, close in. Address Y, box 96, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — GODDARD PAYS MORE CASH for furniture than any one else. 506 S. BROADWAY. Green 1084.

WANTED—BEST 8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, southwest, $5500 cash will buy. Address V, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—GOOD ROLLER-TOP DESK, SECond-hand. Address Y, box 97, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED—LIQUOR SALOON, CENTRALLY located. BURROWS & SLOCUM, 528 Byrne Bldg. 6

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—BUSINESS PARTNER; OLD-ESTablished trade; half interest of $3500 annually to competent colleague with $12,500 cash. 215 COPP BLDG. 6

WANTED — ACTIVE PARTNER TO TAKE one-third interest in well-established real estate business. Address Y, box 15, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED—2 OR 3 FURNISHED ROOMS OR cottage, east of the river, north of First. Address X, box 94, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED—BY TRAVELING MAN, A FURnished room, centrally located. Address X, box 95, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED—TO RENT, CHICKEN RANCH IN healthy location, with good house, with privilege of buying. Address Y, box 19, TIMES OFFICE. 6

WANTED — TO LEASE, FURNISHED OR unfurnished, house of 10 rooms for 5 years. Address Y, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 7

WANTED— Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—PROFITABLE WORK OFFERED agents in every town to secure subscriptions to The Ladies' Home Journal and The Saturday Evening Post. We want agents who will work thoroughly and with business system to cover each section with our illustrated little booklets and other advertising matter, and to look sharply after renewals from old subscribers. The pay is first-rate, and at the end of the season $20,000 will be given the best workers as extra prizes for good work. How well some of our agents have succeeded is told in a little booklet we would like to send you—portraits of some of our best agents with the story of how they made it pay. THE CURTIS PUBLISHING CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED SOLICITORS IN every town in California. Write us. HOME CO-OPERATIVE CO., Crawford & Scovill, State managers, 143 S. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal. 6

WANTED—AGENTS; 10 MEN CAPABLE OF handling business proposition. Room 11, 214½ S. BROADWAY. 7

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WANTED— Work by the Day.

WANTED — JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT Agency. Work by day. 642 Spring. T. Bro. 1632.

WANTED—JAPANESE, HOUSECLEANING work by day. 605 W. SIXTH, Tel green 681.

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WANTED — EVERYBODY TO READ OUR circulars explaining co-operative plan of home building without interest. HOME CO-OPERATIVE CO., 143 S. Broadway. 6

WANTED—40,000 THOMPSON SEEDLESS grape cuttings; state price. Address X, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE— BUY HILL ST. AND FLOWER ST. CLOSE-IN PROPERTY AND MAKE QUICK AND SURE PROFIT.

FLOWER ST. BETWEEN 7TH AND 8TH STS., A SPECIAL BARGAIN, 9-ROOM HOUSE, NICE LOT, WILL DOUBLE IN ONE YEAR, CLOSE IN FOR FLATS; ONLY $5000 THIS WEEK.

HILL ST., NEAR 10TH, 50X155 TO ALLEY; THE CHEAPEST, NEAR HUNTINGTON BUY; A BARGAIN, 2 HOUSES, $10,600 THIS WEEK ONLY; SURE TO GO TO $15,000 IN 90 DAYS. N. M. ENTLER & CO., 202 WILCOX BLDG.

FOR SALE— 6-room house, 2 lots; all in bearing fruit, $900.

6-room house, 5 lots, all in bearing fruit; barn, choice, $1300.

8-room house, 1 acre; Washington navel oranges; trees full bearing, $2200.

10-room house, 5 acres; late Valencia orange trees, $4500.

Six acres 8 and 9-year-old Washington navels, $5000.

6 acres 9-year-old Washington navels, $4000; the crop sold this year for $1000.

5 acres 7-year-old Thompson Imp. navels with 6-room house and barn; fine location, $3250.

7½ acres, 4 acres set to navel oranges; 6 shares water, $1000. ABBOTT J. BENT, Agent, Monrovia, Cal.

FOR SALE— 819 S. UNION AVE., AN ELEGANT, NEW, AND STRICTLY UP-TO-DATE RESIDENCE OF 12 ROOMS, INCLUDING BREAKFAST AND BILLIARD ROOMS; VERY NICELY TINTED AND DECORATED; BEAUTIFULLY FINISHED IN FLEMISH OAK, WITH OAK FLOORS; 2 HANDSOME MANTELS; BASEMENT AND STATIONARY WASHTUBS; FINE ELEVATED LOT, 61X154 TO ALLEY; LAWN, ETC. THIS IS AN EXCELLENT BUY AT —$9800.— KEYS AND FURTHER PARTICULARS OF EDWARD D. SILENT & CO (SOLE AGTS.) 216 W. SECOND ST.

FOR SALE— An elegant residence on Flower st., between 23rd and Adams, opposite Singleton's Court; Moorish style of architecture with barn to match; contains double parlors, with archway and columns finished in Lake Tahoe pine; library, reception hall and stairway finished in curly birch, oak floors; dining-room finished in oak, sideboard built in; Holland fireplace, large pass pantry and fine kitchen, 5 large bed chambers, bathroom, 2 toilets, good basement and furnace, fine electric fixtures; large lot 55x190 to alley, and is highly improved. The price is $14,000, and is less than the actual cost of improvement, so if you want a snap buy this. EDWARD D. SILENT & CO., 216 W. Second st.

FOR SALE— $5000—We offer you today a new altogether modern 10-room residence on the corner of 18th and Hope sts.; lot 56x150 feet; fronting east, which gives you all the sunshine you could ask for and being a corner lot is simply perfection; building alone cost $4200.

$2500—An up-to-date 6-room cottage, oval ceiling and polished floors, offered for two days, for 25 per cent. less than actual value, on Girard, near Union ave.

$2100—A daisy 5-room cottage, new and charming, on 22nd near Main st. Buy this and make $400.

$3500—7-room house on Lake st.; a wonder for the price; for the choicest homes on Westlake call on DAVIS & CO., 440 S. Spring st.

FOR SALE—$2200—$2300— SPECIAL FOR TODAY.

FINE HOME PLACE ON 28TH NEAR HOOVER; CHANCE TO MAKE $500 ON THIS; INVESTIGATE.

$5500 BUYS FINE 9-ROOM HOME ON BURLINGTON NEAR 10TH, EAST FRONT; WILL LOAN $4000 ON THIS AT 6 PER CENT.

$1500 BUYS EAST FRONT LOT ON RAMPART ST., 150 FEET FROM SEVENTH. RALPH T. VINING, TEL. JAMES 8781. 307 W. 4TH ST. 6

FOR SALE—HOUSES— $965—Bargain on E. 22nd; new 4-room cottage, all complete, with a 50x150-foot lot, all street work paid.

$1555—Snap on E. 23rd st., near Central ave.; nice new up-to-date cottage, of 5 rooms; porcelain bath, closets, mantel, etc.

$1450—Snap on E. 27th; a new modern 5-room cottage, lot 50x150; bath, toilets, mantel; all complete; nice, sell on installments if desired; all of the above are bargains.

$2250—Another bargain on E. 27th st., near Maple ave., new 6-room cottage, with superfine interior; must be seen inside to be appreciated; porcelain bath, all complete; terms to suit. BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, Phone John 1331. 440 Douglas Bldg. 6

FOR SALE— HOOVER STREET BARGAIN, NEAR 29TH ST., FINE EAST FRONT LOT 58X142 TO ALLEY, WITH 10-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, CONNECTED TO SEWER; CELLAR AND FURNACE. FINISHED ATTIC; THIS PLACE IS OFFERED FOR $4500 AND IS CHEAP AT $5000, BUT IT MUST BE SOLD THIS MONTH. —12 PER CENT.— —$3000— FOR THEM; 4 FINE LOTS ON ORANGE NEAR UNION, 60-FOOT LOT, FINE LOCATION, WORTH $10,000. D. A. MEEKINS, 151 N. BROADWAY. 7

FOR SALE—NEW COTTAGES ON EAST terms.

No. 516 E. Main st., 5 rooms	$1000
No. 1470 W. 27th st., 5 rooms	2200
No. 1606 S. Union ave., 5 rooms	2500
No. 1610 S. Union ave., 6 rooms	2700
No. 1614 S. Union ave., 5 rooms	2500
No. 1016 W. 18th st., 5 rooms	2600
No. 1018 W. 18th st., 5 rooms	2400
No. 1340 W. 24th st., 6 rooms	2700
No. 1341 W. 25th st., 5 rooms	2500
No. 2366 Hunter st., 5 rooms	1000

THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, 319-320 Douglas Bldg. 7

FOR SALE—HOUSES—

$4500—9-room house, 245 S. Beaudry.	
$4600—9-room house, 217 S. Breaudry.	
$3500—2 flats, 116 S. Ave. 24.	
$3200—7-room house, 231 W. 18th.	
$2900—7-room house, 9?? Wall st.	
$2400—6-room house, 814 Pasadena ave.	
$2000—5-room house, 113? W. Second.	
$1500—5-room cottage, 2622 E. First.	
$1350—5-room cottage, 2611 Pennsylvania ave.	
$1350—5-room cottage, 2618 Michigan ave.	
$1250—5-room cottage, 628 S. Griffin.	
$1100—5-room cottage, 129 S. Ave. 24.	

ALLISON BARLOW, 217 South Broadway.

FOR SALE— One of the best bargains we have in the city is a 5-room new house, strictly modern, nickled plumbing, coved ceilings, tinted walls; the best place in the city to live; price only $1850, $100 cash only, and $12.50 per month at 6 per cent. interest. Can you beat it? We will sell this quick. See us before buying. Don't forget property through the 3rd-st. tunnel; buy before too late. WILLIAMS & THOMAS, Tel. John 2891. 123 S. Broadway. 8

FOR SALE—$4500; 8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE at 821 W. 21st st., between Grand ave. and Figueroa; lot 50x164; furnace, two water closets, bath, etc., all modern; house is furnished; everything fresh and clean; will be sacrificed at the low price of $4500; key at my office; immediate possession; this is one of the best bargains in one of the best residence parts of the city. THOMAS S. WADSWORTH, 7 319-320 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE— A. G. SCHLOESSER. $1750 needed for business purposes; $3950 purchases beautiful home. A. G. SCHLOESSER, 258-260 Wilcox. 6

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL HOME IN THE BEST PART OF PASADENA. VERY LARGE GROUNDS; FINE OLD TREES; LARGE HOUSE IN FIRST-CLASS CONDITION, WITH EVERY CONVENIENCE; A GREAT BARGAIN AT $16,000; OWNER REFUSED $25,000 A YEAR AGO, BUT MUST SELL. NORTH & GRASSETT, 102 WILSON BLOCK, SOLE AGENTS.

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL, NEW, MODern cottage, southwest; large lot, lawn, back and front; gas and electric lights, tinted walls, large mantel, polished floors; could not be bought for twice the money if party did not have to go East; $1850, easy payments; must be sold this week. EIGHOLZ & SINCLAIR, 300-301 Lankershim Bldg. 6

FOR SALE—GENUINE HONEST BARGAIN; owner going away; must sell; nice modern 7-room residence on Ellendale place just south of Adams st., lot 50x214 feet; lawn, flowers, fruits; lot alone worth $1800; one of the swellest locations in city; price only $3500; we recommend it as a great bargain. CHARLES GOODWIN & CO., sole agents, 107 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—A MODERN HOME FOR $2450, close in, in southwest; a real snap; has 5 rooms and a reception hall; every modern convenience; $1200 cash, balance $20 per month, easy terms; don't delay; you can't afford to; call and see us at once. Rooms 337 and 337½ Douglas bldg. A. T. JERGINS & CO., sole agents.

FOR SALE—8-ROOM NEW HOUSE, BEAUtiful surroundings, party has to go east and is forced to sell; will take $3300, $1000 down and balance at 6 per cent. int. This house would cost you at least $4000 to duplicate. Do you want a good buy? This is southwest. WILLIAMS & THOMAS, 123 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE — 5-ROOM, MODERN COTTAGE, southwest part of city; delightfully located; convenient to churches and schools; on car line; everything bright and cheerful; nearly new. Don't you think you would like this for only $1600? Can make easy terms, too. E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. Fourth. 9

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL HOME IN THE best residence section of Pasadena; No. 762 St. John ave.; furniture at a valuation if desired; this property is offered for sale in consequence of the owner leaving the State. Apply to A. L. BEST, room 75, Temple Block. 12

FOR SALE — MAGNIFICENT HOME, 11 rooms, latest finish, all modern improvements, southwestern part of city, on W. 24th and Grand View Heights; fine neighborhood; lot 70x200; splendid chance for investment. J. J. MORGAN & CO., 244½ S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—$1400; THAT'S ALL IT TAKES TO BUY AN 8-ROOM HOUSE NEAR THE CORNER 22ND AND VERMONT; CAN MAKE EASY TERMS, TOO; $450 CASH, BALANCE $15 PER MONTH. "JUST THINK OF IT." E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. FOURTH. 9

FOR SALE—A STRICTLY MODERN 7-ROOM HOUSE CLOSE TO TRACTION LINE, SOUTHWEST; EVERY CONVENIENCE; LARGE LOT; LAWN, FLOWERS AND SHRUBS; FINE NEIGHBORHOOD. PRICE $3500. NORTH & GRASSETT, 102 WILSON BLOCK.

FOR SALE—A COSY HOME; HAS 5 ROOMS, gas, electricity and sewer connections, outhouse and barn, lawn, flowers and fruit trees; it 50x135 to alley, close in, southwest; price $2000; this is a bargain. Owner, A. T. JERGINS, room 337, Douglas bldg. 7

FOR SALE—HOUSE, $2250; NEW STRICTLY up-to-date 6-room cottage, 25th st. and Stanford; beautifully finished in white pine; walls tinted; porcelain bath; front and back halls, gas, electricity, cement walks, etc. Owner 417 E. 27TH ST., phone White 4065. 11

FOR SALE—$4750; BONNIE BRAE SECTION, new 8-room dwelling, up-to-date in every particular, with gas, electric lights, porcelain bath, cove ceiling, polished floors; east front. RICHARDS & ROBINSON, 430 Douglas Bldg. Tel. James 1006. 6

FOR SALE—$3260; JUST COMPLETED; 2-story 7-room house, outbuildings, windmill and tank, 3 lots in fruit and vegetables; all fenced; good home, near Central ave. SALSBURY, owner, room 118, Hellman, Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—$5500; CHOICE HOME, INGRAham st., large house, first-class location; this property is worth $7000 today; if you want a good buy see this. HEMPHILL & CO., 626 Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—HOUSES— ALL PARTS OF THE CITY. SEE ME BEFORE BUYING. J. B. NICHOLS, 221 DOUGLAS BLDG.

FOR SALE—FOR $600; I WILL BUILD A neat 4-room cottage and large screen porch; brick foundation, hard finished, in any part of city. SALSBURY & SONS, builders, room 118, Hellman Blk., Second and Broadway. 8

FOR SALE—TWO 7-ROOM HOUSES NEAR Westlake Park, 10th and Lake sts.; complete in every detail; choice neighborhood; these are desirable properties. $3500 each. WARREN THOMAS, 531 Douglas Blk. 7

FOR SALE—$2200; NEW MODERN 5-ROOM cottage and 3 fine lots, 3 lots are 60-foot corner; this is the price of one cottage and lot, same neighborhood. Call quick, am going away. Terms. 1365 E. 20TH. 6

FOR SALE— BARGAIN. BELOW COST. 2-story 8-room, bath, toilet, cellar, barn. 2 lots, large lawn, southwest, $3500. Owner, ALLEN, 415 Copp Bldg.

FOR SALE—$2350; BARGAIN; 7-ROOM 2-story modern up to date, W. 24th st.; little money for equity. Owner leaving city. HEMPHILL & CO., 526 Laughlin Bldg., 315 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE — $1300; $150 CASH; BRIGHT, sunny cottage, 4 rooms, good plumbing, sewer connection; 23d st., near Main. WM. N. HOLWAY, sole agent, 529 Laughlin bldg. Tel. John 3901. 7

FOR SALE—MY ELEGANT 9-ROOM MODern dwelling in Westlake district on Union ave., for $5500; see my agent for terms and particulars. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 337 Douglas bldg. 7

FOR SALE—WESTLAKE WAY; NICE 2-story 7-room house, basement and barn; east front, on Bonnie Brae street near 6th; cheap at $3900. LEE A. M'CONNELL & CO., 143 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE — $1650; ALMOST NEW 6-ROOM cottage, with gas, bath, barn, street work all done; located southwest; bargain. RICHARDS & ROBINSON, 430 Douglas Bldg. Tel. James 1006. 6

FOR SALE—$3200; 2-STORY 7-ROOM HOUSE, nicely finished inside, modern improvements, down Adams on Halldale ave. Very easy terms. J. J. MORGAN & CO., 244½ S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—COTTAGES ON EASY PAYments; well located for railroad and street car men; $800 and up; call and see us about them. BARR REALTY CO., 208 Wilcox Blk. 8

FOR SALE—ELEGANT TWO-STORY TEN-room house, basement, all modern conveniences; most desirable part of city. J. J. MORGAN & CO., 244½ S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—ON EASY TERMS; DESIRAble house in East Los Angeles; now rented for $20 per month; address the owner, R. L. WHITMORE, Oakland ave., Pasadena. 6

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS NEW HOUSE, southwest, worth $2800, for $2200; 5-room, $850; 2-room, choice lot, $600; 5 lots, $1250; part cash. EDWARD FRASER, 232 First. 6

FOR SALE—WEST SIDE, SIX ROOMS AND bath, gas, electric lights and all modern conveniences, barn, fruit trees, etc.; lot 50x125; price $2250. 1007 W. 12TH ST. 7

FOR SALE—A BEAUTIFUL NEW MODERN cottage on Pico Heights on well improved street; lot is 50x146; will sell for $2300. A. T. JERGINS & CO., 337 Douglas bldg. 7

FOR SALE—$3000; 6-ROOM HOUSE, ALL modern conveniences and improvements; lot 53x105 feet, situated on Union ave. J. J. MORGAN & CO., 244½ S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—HOUSE 4 ROOMS, BASEMENT, large lot, sewered, fenced, fruit, flowers, near in; price $1000; $300 cash, balance easy payments. OWNER, 711 Court st. 7

TO LET—$16, 6-ROOM COTTAGE, 735 MERchant; $15, 5 rooms, 771 Merchant st.; $35, elegant new flat, 318 S. Figueroa. T. WIESENDANGER, 228 Laughlin Bldg. 8

FOR SALE—SEE OWNER, NICE HOME ON S. Main; fine grocery, three 6-room houses, southwest; snap bargains; no agents. Address Y, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 6

FOR SALE—3 FINE LOTS, 50X150, SOUTH side Seventh opposite Westlake boathouse; fine location, easy terms. J. J. MORGAN & CO., 244½ S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—1513 MAGNOLIA AVE.; 8-ROOM house, delightful location; am going to sell, look at it; do not bother tenant; price $4000; terms. OWNER, 417 S. Hill.

FOR SALE—COSY COTTAGE 4 ROOMS, sewer and all street improvements, ½ block from 2 car lines, 816 Linden st. R. D. LIST, 221 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR SALE—ADAMS ST., NEAR SAN PEdro; 7-room cottage, modern, only $2650; paying 12 per cent. interest; bargain. TAYLOR, 106 Broadway. 8

FOR SALE—7 ROOMS MODERN 2-STORY, barn, fruit, flowers. Save commission. 1539 W. 11TH. 8

FOR SALE—NICE 6-ROOM HOUSE, HALL; lot 50x150; only 15 minutes' walk to Broadway; a great bargain. Apply 133 N. BEAUDRY AVE. 6

FOR SALE—NICE COTTAGE, 336 S. BONnie Brae st., half block car line; corner lot, 50x130, with barn, $1800. OWNER at premises. 9

FOR SALE—MY NICE NEW AND STRICTLY modern 10-room house, corner and sunny, $450 this week. Call 1915 ESTRELLA AVE. 6

FOR SALE—MAKE ME AN OFFER ON MY 12-room house; rents for $40 per month. Address Y, Box 9, TIMES OFFICE. 7

FOR SALE—A COSY UP TO DATE 6-ROOM cottage on corner lot, near car line, $2? E. 29TH ST., corner Stanford. 9

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND 3 LOTS, BARgain, same as rent. 460 SIERRA ST.

FOR SALE— City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE— $1250; 50x150 to alley on Lake st., near 10th; best buy on the street.

$2500; 50x150, Bonnie Brae near 8th.

$2000; 60x120, Wilshire boulevard tract; nothing in Westlake district as good; this price for this week only; owner wants money don't miss it. CHARLES W. ALLEN & CO., 6 142 S. Broadway, room 125-126.

FOR SALE—LOTS— $3000—S. Olive near 11th.

$5000—Corner lot, 2 blocks from First and Broadway.

$390—Alpine near Figueroa.

$700—E. Pico, near San Pedro.

$775—Iowa st., near 18th.

$400—Charles V. Hall tract, near Adams.

$1425—2 lots, 24th near Magnolia.

$800—Each, 2 lots, Central ave. near 5th st.

$300—Menlo Park tract.

BOWEN & CHAMBERLIN, 6 Phone John 1331. 440 Douglas Bldg.

FOR SALE—BY W. H. ALLEN & SON— VERMONT AVE. AND 29TH ST. 217½X150 FEET.

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There is a good deal of mystery about the new telephone company which has started out with the avowed purpose of giving Los Angeles a better and cheaper "hello" service than is furnished by the "Sunset."

Who are the people behind M. Adrian King, the purchaser of the franchise to establish and operate a competing telephone system in this city?

This question was put to several persons who are supposed to know a great deal, if not all, about the project, yesterday; but noncommittal answers were given.

It was tacitly admitted by all that King is merely a promoter or agent, but it was asserted that he had succeeded in interesting people who are financially able to put in a telephone system which will eclipse the efforts of the powerful Sabin corporation, known as the Sunset Telephone and Telegraph Company.

All that could be ascertained about the financiers of the scheme was that they are capitalists of Toledo, O., who, it was alleged, are successfully operating independent telephone lines in the East. It was also asserted that local capital would assist the enterprise, and that the names of the incorporators of the new company would probably be made public in a few days.

WHAT MR. TRIPPET SAYS.

Oscar A. Trippet, Esq., one of the legal representatives of the mysterious "hello" people, vouchsafed the information that active steps are being taken to carry out the terms of the franchise obtained by Mr. King. He said solicitors had been started out to canvass the city for subscribers, and are meeting with much encouragement. People seem anxious for the new service, and if no unexpected obstacles are encountered, Mr. Trippet said, the new company will expend $500,000 in the installation of an up-to-date "hello" plant in this city within the present year. The success of the enterprise, he admitted, depends in a measure on the amount of encouragement received locally, but he had every reason to believe that the plans of the company would be carried out. The new 'phones would be so perfect and cheap as to practically put the old company out of business, he said. The equipment would be far superior to that now in use in this city, and the cost to subscribers would be cut just about in half. "Party" lines and the complex system of numbering would be done away with, and no "hello" girls that talk back to the irate subscriber would be employed.

LOCAL CAPITAL.

A. B. McCutchen, Esq., another of the legal representatives of the embryo "hello" concern, also spoke enthusiastically and confidently of its plans. He said he was not at liberty to name the capitalists interested, at present, but he believed that they were acting in good faith and had the means to carry out their project. Contracts are taken, for the time being, in the name of the Home Telephone Company, a California corporation, but the name under which the new company would operate had not yet been definitely decided upon. However, final incorporation would probably be completed within the next few days, when the names of the incorporators would be made public. Mr. McCutchen said considerable local capital would be invested in the project. As an earnestness of the company's intentions, he pointed to the fact that an outlay of about $30,000 had already been incurred, representing $3000 cash paid for the franchise, a bond of $25,000 which was filed and approved, as a forfeit to the city in case of failure to comply with the terms of the franchise, and several thousand dollars for attorneys' fees and incidentals.

MR. FISHBURN NOT "IT."

Both Mr. Trippet and Mr. McCutchen referred the reporter to J. E. Fishburn, vice-president of the National Bank of California, for information as to the personnel of the company. Mr. Fishburn, when interviewed, said he was not personally interested in the new telephone enterprise, but the gentlemen interested had chosen his bank as the intermediary for conducting its financial transactions, and he was satisfied that the company meant business and had the capital to do it with. Further than this, Mr. Fishburn had nothing to say for publication.

OLD COMPANY SAYS "NAY."

Officials of the Sunset Telephone Company do not seem to be dismayed at the prospect of opposition. They say it is impossible for the new company—granting that it means business and is not advancing a mere hold-up proposition—to secure any better equipment or furnish any better service than the Sunset company has and is supplying. They point to the fact that it required enormous expense and years of experience to bring the service up to its present standard, which, they claim, is as good and in some respects better than anywhere else in the United States. Independent exchanges wherever established in opposition to general companies, they allege, have invariably proven failures and have not succeeded in reducing rates. Sacramento and Portland are two Pacific Coast cities which have rival telephone companies, but the opposition has never resulted in a cut in prices by the principal company, nor have the smaller concerns, they aver, been able to give so good a service.

ONE 'PHONE ENOUGH.

Inquiry among citizens generally develops the fact that not all telephone subscribers take the view that competition in the "hello" business would be an unmixed blessing. Some persons there are, who contend that it is bad enough to have one telephone bell jangling in the house, and that to have two centrals would be simply unbearable. While no one would object to lower rates, it is admitted that telephone service in Los Angeles costs less than in almost any other large city in the country, and the quality of the service is as good here as found anywhere.

The most serious objection urged against a competing company is that it would divide the subscribers, so that the people on the lines of one company could not communicate with those on the other, for comparatively few people would patronize both companies. A strictly local company would also be at a great disadvantage on account of having no long-distance connections.

FAILURES IN OHIO.

Recently there have been a number of failures of local telephone companies in Ohio, chief among these being the Federated Telephone Company, operating as a rival concern in Columbus and various other Ohio cities. It quit owing $3,500,000, in consequence of which two Cleveland banks were obliged to close their doors. The United States Telephone Company, an affiliated corporation, doing business in the States of Ohio, Indiana, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Kentucky, was also involved, all of which gives comfort to companies which have no opposition and do not desire any.

"If there is any such thing as a justifiable monopoly," said a man well versed in the telephone business, yesterday, "it is a well-equipped general telephone company, provided it keeps abreast with the times in the matter of improvements and is liberal with its rates, and takes pains in giving good service."

SCHOOL INTERESTS.

Board of Education Alarmed by Big Bank of Earth on Olive Street—High School Events.

The dangerous condition of the towering banks of earth near the Olive-street school was the chief subject of discussion at last night's adjourned meeting of the City Board of Education. Because of excavations being made by adjoining property owners, the earth is likely to cave in on the playground, or even onto the building itself. Giffen thought it a shame that the lives of the school children should be continued in danger week after week, while the board was trying to decide what remedy could be applied at the least cost. The committee appointed at the last meeting to look into the matter, reported last night, recommending several different kinds of retaining walls, and estimating the cost of the best of them at $5000.

It was decided to refer the report to the City Engineer to decide what kind of a wall would be best, and the secretary was ordered to advertise for bids according to specifications made out by the engineer.

The members of the board received an invitation to attend the class exercises of the Senior B class of the High School, to be held this afternoon in the High School Auditorium at 1:30 o'clock, and also to the exercises of the Senior A class at the Los Angeles Theater tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Giffen-avenue and Custer-street schools will immediately be supplied with an ungraded room, which is an institution for the coaching of backward pupils.

The following are the boundaries fixed last night for the new Twentieth-street school district, with minor changes in other districts: Beginning at corner of Ninth street and Central avenue; thence south on Central avenue to Pico street; west on Pico street to Griffith avenue; south on Griffith avenue to Twenty-fifth street; east on Twenty-fifth street to Central avenue; south on Central avenue to Thirty-sixth street; east on Thirty-sixth street to Hooper street; north on Hooper street to Twentieth street; thence on Tarlet street to Sixteenth street; west on Sixteenth street to Tennessee street; north on Tennessee street to Ninth street; west on Ninth street to Central avenue.

The eastern boundary of Sixteenth-street school district is changed to Santee street, between Twelfth street and Twenty-third street.

The eastern boundary of the Ninth-street school district is changed to Central avenue, between Twelfth and Ninth streets, and the southern boundary to Ninth street, between Central avenue and Tennessee street.

The western boundary of Stauntonavenue district is changed to Compton avenue, between Twentieth street and Sixteenth street, and to Tennessee street, between Sixteenth street and Twelfth street.

The San Pedro-street district boundary on the west is changed to Santee street, and on the east to Griffith avenue.

The Twenty-eighth-street boundary on the east is changed to Central avenue, between Twenty-fifth street and Thirty-seventh street; to Griffith avenue, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets; and on the south to Twenty-fifth street, between Central avenue and Griffith avenue.

The board adjourned to meet Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, to receive the report of the Teachers' Committee, which was not ready for presentation last night.

G. W. A. PALLETT DEAD.

Pioneer Rancher of Los Angeles County Passed Away in South America—Son Here to Settle Estate.

W. A. Pallett has returned from South America to settle up the estate of his father, G. W. A. Pallett, who died at Alijo Ledesma, province of Cordova, Argentine Republic, several months ago.

The elder Pallett was one of the pioneer ranchers of Los Angeles county. He and his sons formerly owned and cultivated some of the finest walnut groves in the famous Rivera district; they also engaged extensively in stock raising. A few years ago they sold most of their possessions in this county, and on September 29, 1900, the old patriarch and his descendants, composing a party of about twenty souls, emigrated bodily to the Argentine Republic to engage in stock raising there. They purchased a large body of land in the province of Cordova in the fertile valley of the Parana, where they have extensive herds of live stock, and are prospering.

The father of the Pallett boys was over 80 years old when he died, surrounded by his children and children's children in their far-off home. William A., the son who has come here to settle up that portion of the old gentleman's estate remaining in this county, will return to his folks in South America as soon as his business here is concluded.

STRONG'S CONDITION CRITICAL.

Ralph Strong underwent an operation at the California Hospital yesterday for a supposed affection of the ear, and is now in a critical condition, not having recovered consciousness. The physicians say that there is a general inflammation of the brain, and it is feared that death may result at any hour.

Dr. W. A. Dunton, 143 S. Broadway, treats chronic diseases. Tel. Red, Pack 32.

FORTUNE FOR DISHWASHER.

Big "Mike" Wade's Labor Days are O'er.

Kitchen Fraternity Has a Large Time.

Elegant Ease After Many Years at Six-dollar-a-week Graft.

Michael J. Wade yesterday took a dizzy leap up the social scale—from dishwasher to capitalist.

The transformation occupied just about two minutes, and ever since then the lucky heir has kept busy trying to make "Coal Oil Johnny's" record resemble a miser story.

"Mike Wade has come in for $30,000," was the news passed about in awed tones by members of the restaurant fraternity around First and Main streets, and it created several kinds of a sensation. And brethren in good standing did not have to wait long for confirmation of the news. "Mike" was not renouncing any friendships, and when he drifted around there was was food, drink, or "any old thing" free for all "the boys."

MICHAEL J. WADE.

Everybody in the restaurant business in Los Angeles and scores out of it know "Mike" Wade. He has worked at almost every eating house in town during the past six years, generally in the capacity of dishwasher, although he is equally familiar with pots and frying-pans and understands how to fix vegetables up for the cook. The salary of such a kitchen worker is not more than the ordinary man is able to use. It is generally $6 a week and "keep."

Through years of humble toil Mike Wade never told his companions that he was a member of a wealthy family, nor did he bemoan his lot in life. He just kept plugging away, and his cheerful ways won him the friendship of all who knew him. Yesterday cooks, waiters, barkeepers and others fairly exhausted the dictionary with their laudation of Wade.

Yesterday Wade rose at his usual romantic hour of 4 a.m., and went down to his sinecure. It was after the morning dishes were done that the letter came or somebody else would have washed that china. The letter contained $1000, and the sign "Dishwasher wanted" was out in about five seconds.

Wade then assumed the role of capitalist, although his interpretation was not entirely true to real life. Just by way of starting right every one in sight was invited to have a drink. The afternoon was spent in getting himself a "front." He ordered the tailor around as if he had done nothing else for years. Then a visit was paid to a jeweler's, where a solid gold watch, chain and ring were acquired. A haberdasher supplied shirts, neckties, collars and the first hard hat worn by the dishwasher in a decade.

The evening was given over to pleasure unrestrained and unlimited. The spender took a crowd along with him big enough to fill any saloon so as to prevent lonesomeness. Wade certainly proved himself to be no quitter. Whenever any one suggested that probably the beer would keep until tomorrow, or assured him that there was no chance of them stopping brewing it, Wade would sing the Orpheum ballad: "My Money Never Gives Out." When bedtime came the spender went to a strange room, just to show that he could support two rooms, and get away from the alarm clock.

Yesterday afternoon a Times man found "Mike" in a Main-street barrel house. He had just returned from the Chutes, and three friends hovered close about to brush dust from his clothes as soon as it blew on. There were only seventeen others waiting for the next round, so the reporter rung in. Everybody but the three bodyguards called him Mr. Wade.

The simple truth is that Wade is a sensible and manly fellow. He is about 45 years old, over 6 feet tall and built in proportion. He at first refused to talk of his good fortune, saying that he dislikes notoriety.

"Oh, no, I have always had plenty of friends," he said, when asked whether his newly-acquired wealth had brought him the friendship of the crowd about him.

"My inheritance amounts to only about $28,000, which is one-fifth of the estate left by my father, who just died at Key West, Fla. He was a big government contractor there during his lifetime. A brother and two sisters of mine now live in Key West, and my married sister lives in Tortugas.

"I can't tell now what my plans for the future will be. I shall go east next Monday to settle up affairs, but expect to return to Los Angeles soon. I may turn to mining when I come back. I used to go to sea, and haven't been home for twenty years."

These few facts, told in a modest way in answer to questions, was all Wade would say.

BEET-SUGAR INTERESTS.

Chamber of Commerce Requests Congress not to Oppose Them—Directors Elected for Coming Year.

At the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon a resolution, bearing upon the petition presented to Congress by the Chamber of Commerce of Cuba asking for tariff concessions between the United States and Cuba, was unanimously adopted, the Los Angeles chamber urgently requested Congress not to adopt any legislation that would injure or discourage the American beet-sugar industry. It was pointed out in the resolution that the manufacture of beet sugar in the United States is an industry of great actual, and still greater, potential importance, giving employment to many thousands of farmers and laborers, and which promises, under proper encouragement, to produce within ten years all the sugar consumed in this country, thus retaining at home over $100,000,000.

A communication was read from Hon. Thomas R. Bard, acknowledging the receipt of the chamber's resolution in relation to the national quarantine law, and the establishment of a citrus experimental station at Riverside, and stating that he would use his best efforts to bring about the result.

A communication was read on the same subjects from Hon. George C. Perkins stating, however, that the National Quarantine Bill seems to be opposed by eastern fruit growers and nurserymen, and it was his opinion that it would be difficult to pass a bill this season unless the fruit interests could agree.

The following members were elected to act as directors for the ensuing year: J. S. Slauson, Charles Forman, R. J. Waters, I. N. Van Nuys and A. W. Skinner.

The Chamber of Commerce is in receipt of several sacks of valuable seeds from the Horticultural Department in Washington. Persons wishing to experiment with the different varieties may secure them from Secretary Wiggins, provided they promise to exhibit the products in the chamber.

POOR AGED WOMAN WRAPPED IN FIRE.

BURNING TO DEATH THE FATE OF MRS. ROSE MILLER.

Blaze of Mistakenly-used Oil and Flames of Her Home Reduce Body to Horrible Crisp—Granddaughter's Escape Narrow.

Mrs. Rose Miller was burned to death in a fire which destroyed her humble home, a three-room cottage at No. 814 Griffin avenue, near Mission road, at 8:45 o'clock last night. The tragedy was the result of her own thoughtless use of coal oil in the kitchen stove. The victim of the accident was 72 years of age, very feeble and at times childish, and it is supposed that she did not realize the danger. Miss Mary Grant, her seventeen-year-old granddaughter, tried to save her life, and herself narrowly escaped.

The aged woman and her granddaughter lived alone, the former having limited means, and the latter earning her living by working in the Broadway Department Store.

Last night when the fire in the kitchen stove had burned itself almost out, Mrs. Miller remarked to Miss Grant that the night was cold and she would replenish the fire. Suddenly Miss Grant heard a scream, and saw her grandmother holding a coal-oil can over the stove, with re clothing a mass of flames. She had opened the stove and started to pour oil in, when it ignited, and the blaze shot up and enveloped her. The young woman ran to her assistance, but seeing that it was impossible for her to extinguish the fire, rushed from the house screaming for help. The heat was so great that her hair was singed.

As she ran from the house she heard an explosion. The can had burst, throwing oil all over the aged woman and the room.

Ben Miller, a member of the family in an adjoining house, was awakened by the explosion. He ran to the burning house, and tried to enter the room in which Mrs. Miller lay, but the flames were pouring from the building, and the heat was intense. Others responded to Miss Grant's calls, but could do nothing. When the fire engines arrived, the frail structure had been practically destroyed.

What remained of Mrs. Miller was found on the floor of what had been the kitchen. The body was burned almost to a crisp, and bore no resemblance to that of a human being. The arms were burned off, and of the legs below the knees nothing remained but the blackened bones. The ribs were exposed.

The Coroner was notified, and the charred body removed to Garrett's undertaking rooms, where an inquest will be held, probably today.

Everything in the house was burned. Miss Grant was cared for by the Miller family. She is prostrated by the shock.

Mrs. Miller had lived in Los Angeles about eight years. Before that she was a resident of Tacoma. She was the mother of Mrs. Ed O'Rourke, who lives on Pierce's ranch. With her another granddaughter, a sister of Miss Grant, resides. She had relatives in the East, but their addresses are not known.

The house was the property of Charles Hahn, wine merchant, at No. 229 East Main street. The property loss will not exceed $500.

"ADVERTECT" RODGERS.

Harry Rodgers, who has made a great success in San Francisco as an "advertect," or designer of advertisements, is in Los Angeles for the purpose of establishing a similar business here. "Advertect" Rodgers employs a large staff of advertising writers, artists, etc., and publishes "Returns," a magazine devoted to the advertising business. He is at present erecting a large building in San Francisco, to be used exclusively in his publicity business, and it is his intention to build a similar structure here. His Los Angeles branch office will, for the time being, be located in the Copp building on South Broadway. Mr. Rodgers is the guest of J. B. Lankershim during his temporary stay in this city.

LOCAL SPORTING RECORD.

TEN-PIN TOURNAMENT CONTESTS AT CHUTES.

TWO COURSING STAKES ARRANGED FOR NEXT SUNDAY.

Bradner Beats Berry at Billiards—New Yacht Club Organized—Hemphill Signs With Morley—Match Horse Racing at Park Today.

Four teams contested in the two-man tournament at tenpins last night at the Chutes alleys, and Fred Simpson and Brown carried off the honors of the night, winning seven games of the nine they played. Fred Simpson made high scores of 223 and 222. Each team in the tourney is to play three games with every other team, but in some cases this was not done last night.

The results were as follows:

	1.	2.	3.
Dodge and Gollmer	173	200	203
Brown and F. Simpson	202	221	222
Maier and C. Simpson	156	151	169
Brown and F. Simpson	201	223	222
Woodbury and Pitzwilliams	180	169	169
Herman and Galbraith	203	203	203
Golding and Cridland	213	213	203
F. Maier and C. Simpson	197	168	168
Dodge and Gollmer	204	203	213
Golding and Grinland	162	169	169
Gollmer and Dodge	204	206	213
Maier and C. Simpson	169	169	169
Brown and F. Simpson	202	221	222
Golding and Cridland	202	212	204

WOMEN LOSE.

NEVER WIN A SET.

The Lady Lobsters lost their closing game of the tenpin tournament last night at the Angeles alleys, the Melrose team winning by a score of 1074 to 1095. The Lobsters did not win a set of games in the tournament, and the only two the Melrose team secured were won from the Lobsters. The scores were as follows:

Lady Lobsters—	1.	2.	3.
Mosher	127	148	133
Shakes	115	129	102
Scott	138	139	139
Rush	159	144	152
Lapham	97	125	130
Totals	575	685	654
Total pins—1914.			
High roll—Mrs. Mosher, 148.			
Melrose—	1.	2.	3.
Fitzmier	134	99	132
Moore	158	152	152
Belt	132	141	132
Tedford	99	157	132
Ritter	242	176	200
Totals	915	859	749
Total pins—1974.			
High roll—Ritter, 198.			

COURSING.

TWO STAKES.

The usual sport will be furnished at Coursing Park next Sunday, the card to consist of a class stake and a reserve stake. Drawings held last night for these resulted as follows:

Class Stake—Pinto B. and Warship Rock Island King and Chicago Boy, Reward and Red Hind, Arcadee and Dingwall Die, Mollie Hankins and Goldie Mac, Crawford Lass and Bowery Boy, Ben Kirby and Lady D.

Reserve Stake—Cicely Boy and Kansas City, Racy Rose and Dick L., Bill Nye and Border's Best, Madeline Foilard and Jack the Bum, Royal Flush and Victor King, Wildmere and Angie Mac, Young Fleetfoot and Dan, Lady Edith and Bobby Burns, Panamas and Miss Revenge, Jolly Nash and University Boy, Miliana and Mola, Mountain Belle and St. Ives, Black Flush and Saw Buck, Lady Bob and Matchless, Try Me and Becky Sharp.

YACHTING.

NEW CLUB SAILS ON.

Incorporation papers will be filed today for the Los Angeles Yacht Club Land Association, and as soon as this business is completed the yacht club proper will be organized, but independent of the land association. The directors of the corporation are Willard Stimson, Jack Bushnell, C. B. Boothe, E. T. Earl, Harry Chandler, Milo Baker, W. H. Hoeger, T. G. Mossin and Ben Mansfield. Ample funds are assured for the erection of a clubhouse, which will probably not be built until the summer months.

BASEBALL.

HEMPHILL SIGNED.

Manager Morley yesterday signed Frank Hemphill to play in the Los Angeles ball club this season. Just what position he will play is not known, but he will probably be assigned to his old place in left field. Morley said yesterday he had also signed Charley Reilly in addition to Toman and Waddell.

Morley is now engaged in preparing a schedule for the games this season, and may have it completed next week. Sunday morning games will be played here this year.

Rifle Practice.

The Los Angeles Sharpshooters will have their regular semi-monthly shoot next Sunday at the Round Hill range.

Match Race Today.

The Los Angeles Driving Club will manage a match race to be trotted at Agricultural Park this afternoon, between Primrose, driven by Fred Taylor, and Sweetheart, driven by E. T. Earl.

Billiards.

There was but one game in the three cushion tournament last night at Berry's, and this was between Bradner and Berry, the former winning easily by a score of 21 to 3. The game was a very even one for the first twenty innings, the score standing 5 to 4 in Bradner's favor. In the twenty-first round, however, he made a run of four and kept up his lead from that time on, winning in the fifty-second inning with a fine run of five. Berry did not make over one at a time.

Novel Challenge.

Ed. Broughton, the well-known "finger" billiard player of this city is out with a challenge to play a game of twenty-one points at three cushion with the winner of the present tournament. He offers to use his fingers, the other player to play with a cue.

PARTY IN NEED OF REPAIR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Prominent Democrats from many States will attend the reception to be given at the Manhattan Club, February 22, when plans for reuniting the party in the nation will be discussed.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. F. Howell is at the Park Avenue. F. Farre is at the Imperial.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

LARGE BLOCK OF UNION STOCK SOLD.

TRANSFER INVOLVING THOUSANDS REPORTED MADE.

McKittrick's January Shipments Break Records—Search for Arizona Oil Begun—Western Union's Gusher Again Flowing—New Hope Gives Up.

A large block of Union Oil Company stock changed hands yesterday. On reliable authority it is learned that in the neighborhood of 2500 shares of this security were purchased through a local banking house for something like $150,000, or $60 a share. The principal seller is said to have been Senator Thomas R. Bard, who is one of the heavy stockholders of the Union.

The Union Oil Company is one of the large dividend payers in the State. Its recent quarterly dividend of $70,722 is a sample of what that company has been able to pay for some time past. On the floor of the local exchange the price asked is $59 a share, with few shares to be obtained at that figure. The capitalization is $10,000,000, and the par value of the stock is $100.

M'KITTRICK'S RECORD BROKEN.

January's shipments from the McKittrick field broke all previous records. The total amount of oil shipped was 236 cars, which is in the neighborhood of 30,000 barrels. For some time past the production of the field has been checked by limited transportation facilities. Producers are now anxious to have the Southern Pacific extend its line one or two miles west from Olig, the present terminus. A petition asking for this extension is now being circulated among the producers.

START MADE IN CAMELBACK.

The Rand Oil Company raised its first derrick Tuesday near Camelback Mountain, northeast of Phoenix. The company appears to be the first there with a really definite plan backed by the necessary skill and experience, and it is promised that a thorough exploration of the field will be given before it is abandoned. Fully a hundred locations have been made in the vicinity by those who hope to profit by the company's enterprise, but it is probable that this will be the only well bored unless success attends the venture. The formation of the vicinity varies from decomposed granite to conglomerate red sandstone, blue shale and slate cropping out at a number of points. The ground has been declared eminently favorable for oil by every expert who has examined it.

NEW ROAD NEAR COMPLETION.

The new road from Kern City to the Kern River oil fields will soon be completed, the bridges across the river and the Beardsley canal being about finished. The road will result in a saving of several miles, and will take most of the traffic from the district through Kern City.

WESTERN UNION GUSHER.

Well No. 4 of the Western Union Oil Company in the Santa Maria oil field, north of Santa Barbara, has broken loose again. Reports from the field are that oil is flowing over the casing, and indications are it will be a great producer.

END OF NEW HOPE.

AFTER THREE YEARS GIVES UP.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 5.—The New Hope company, which has been drilling on the north side of Poso Creek for nearly three years, has finally abandoned the attempt to get oil there. The utmost difficulty was encountered in getting down on account of the heaving sands, the hole filling up with them at times for hundreds of feet. The greatest depth ever reached by the company was about 1100 feet, and nothing was found that resembled oil except a thin streak of tar. When this tar was struck the news that a strike had been made spread rapidly, and there was intense excitement over it, it being thought that the Kern River field had been extended for eight miles. Two companies are still at work on the north of the creek, the Defiance Minerals and the People's Union. Neither has been successful in the discovery of oil in paying quantities, although the first named has excellent showings.

ON 'CHANGE.

VERY QUIET SESSION.

At yesterday's session of the Oil Stock Exchange but one security found a market.

	Shares.	Price.
Pacific Slope	1,000	$ .01
Pacific Slope	2,000	.01¼
Total	3,000	$32.50

Closinb bids and offers for listed oil stocks were: Alpha, 10 cents asked; Aztec, $1.02 asked; Brea Cañon, $3.50 bid; Central, 67 cents bid; Central Point, $1.05 asked; Columbia, 23 cents asked; Continental, 50 cents asked; Fullerton Consolidated, 29 cents bid; Fullerton Oil, 5¼ cents bid, 7 asked; Globe, 20 cents asked; Home of Fresno, $2.70 asked; Kern Oil, $5.40 bid; Reed Crude, 35¼ cents bid, 36 asked; Senator, 65 cents bid; Southern Consolidated, 1 cent bid, 3½ asked; Uncle Sam, 1 cent bid, 2 asked; Union, $57 bid, $59 asked; United Petroleum, $95 bid, $101 asked; Western Union, $52 bid, $100 asked; Westlake, 5 cents bid, 6¼ asked; Whittier Consolidated, 2 cents bid, 4 asked; Wilson, 4½ cents bid, 9 asked.

Following were the bids and offers for unlisted oil stocks: Northern Consolidated, No. 2, 1½ cents bid, 5 asked; Northern Consolidated No. 1, 1½ cents asked; Hercules, 3½ cents bid, 9 asked; Piru, 10 cents asked; New Century, 3½ cents asked; Argonaut, 20 cents asked; Pennsylvania, 10 cents asked; Southern California Oil and Fuel, 22 cents bid, 30 asked; Sunset Consolidated, 3 cents asked; Sunset King, 1 cent bid; Russian, 6 cents bid; Menges, 92 cents asked; Hub, 88 cents asked; Mexican Petroleum, 12½ cents bid, 32½ asked; Revenue, $1 bid, $1.47 asked; Grand Central Oil Development, 15 cents bid; Denver-Fillmore, 1 cent bid; Gold Coin, 1 cent asked; Potomac, 2 cents bid; Ventura Consolidated, 9 cents asked; Home of Whittier, $2.25 asked; Eureka Crude, 15 cents asked.

For unlisted mining stocks offers were as follows: Arizona Giant, 3 cents bid, 7½ asked; Butte Lode, $25 asked; Bisbee West, 13 cents asked; South Bisbee Copper, 13 cents asked; Arizona and Arkansas Copper, Zinc and Lead, 2½ cents bid, 5½ asked; Venture Hill, 1 cent bid, 2½ asked; Verde King, 30 cents bid; Red Cloud, 25 cents asked; Loma Verde, 15 cents bid, 27 asked; Wedge, ⅝ cent bid; Bisbee Belle, 7 cents asked; Greene Consolidated, 31 cents bid, 38 asked; Green Mountain, 15 cents asked; Exposed Treasure, 25 cents bid; Rand Mountain, 1½ cents asked; Lincoln Gold Mining, 22 cents asked.

Bids and offers of bank and miscellaneous stocks were as follows: Bank of Commerce, $102 bid; Broadway Bank and Trust, $129 bid; California, $145 bid, $160 asked; Central, $130 bid; Citizens', $135 bid; Columbia Savings Bank, $54 bid; Farmers' and Merchants', $325 bid; First National, $220 bid; German-American, $136 bid; Los Angeles National, $154 bid, $167 asked; Main Street Savings, $50 bid; Merchants' National, $175 bid, $200 asked; National Bank of California, $125 bid, $135 asked; Security Savings, $87.50 bid; Security Loan and Trust, $30 bid; Southern California Savings, $135 bid; Southwestern National, $105 bid; State Bank and Trust, $97 bid; Union Bank of Savings, $150 bid; First National of Pasadena, $183 bid; San Gabriel Valley, Pasadena, $150 bid; Pasadena National, $115 bid; Edison Electric, $75 bid, $78 asked; Los Angeles Brewery, $108 bid, $109 asked; Title Guarantee and Trust, pfd., $120 bid; Title Insurance and Trust, pfd., $104 bid; Title Insurance and Trust, com., $100 bid; Pacific Electric, $56 asked; Randsburg Water, 30 cents bid, 70 asked.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

The average grade of fuel oil is quoted at from 50 to 60 cents a barrel at the wells. Oil under 14 gravity sells for from 40 to 50 cents.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—At the morning session of the Oil Stock Exchange sales were made at following prices: Home Oil, $3.75; Lion, 7 cents; Peroleum, 5 cents; Sterling, $1.17½; Twenty-eight, $1.50.

Official closing figures were: Central Point, 90 cents; Home, $3.75; Independence, 8 cents; Peerless, $6.50; Peerless, $6.25.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

One of the jolliest trolley parties of the season was given yesterday evening by Mr. and Mrs. John T. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Willard H. Stimson, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Franklin Ray and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Myrick of Boston. The party left Los Angeles at 6 o'clock in a private car for Santa Monica. A fish dinner was served at the Pavilion, and the return trip was made at midnight. The guests were entertained throughout the evening with negro melodies and selections, rendered by colored men. The guests included Mr. and Nathaniel W. Myrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra T. Stimson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bundrem, Maj. and Mrs. John H. Norton, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fay, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Braly, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tufts, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holliday, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Van der Leck, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Schumacher, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick T. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Fleming, Mrs. Cora Clark, Miss Lila Fairchild; Messrs. Horace Henderson, Charles Henderson and Charles Praesent of Chicago.

Orange Street Whist Club.

The Orange Street Whist Club, which was recently reorganized for the season, met yesterday evening with Dr. and Mrs. John W. Trueworthy at their home on Garland avenue. The club members include the following named: Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Cates, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hinton, Dr. and Mrs. John W. Trueworthy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. White, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Garretson, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Botsford, Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Johnson, Dr. and Mrs. Henderson Hayward, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beebe, Senator and Mrs. R. N. Bulla, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Neuer, Mr. and Mrs. Valentine Peyton, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Forve, and E. T. Earl. The following guests were present yesterday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haskett, Dr. and Mrs. Church, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Smith, Mrs. Bernard and Frank Smith.

Louis-Brown.

Miss Helen H. Louis and Chester W. Brown were married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. M. E. Louis, on North Union avenue. The wedding was a quiet one, witnessed by only a few friends and relatives. Rev. Henry C. Pierson officiated and he was assited by Rev. Thomas Hallowell. The groom formerly resided in Los Angeles, but for the past few years he has been engaged in business in Peru, South America. He has been visiting in Los Angeles for several weeks among relatives and friends. The bride is considered very prominent in social circles in this city, where she has a wide acquaintance. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left on the "Owl" yesterday afternoon for San Francisco. From there they will go direct to Peru, their future home.

Dancing Party.

Miss Esther Burchard entertained a few of her young friends with an informal dancing party, given at the Broadway Hotel Tuesday evening. The party was held in the hotel lobby. At 10 o'clock refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Stella Warfield, Aileen Alderson, Florence Barker, Lucia Wood, Martha Wood, Dorothy Marguerite Seymour; Masters Eugene Van Trees, Henry Hamilton, Jesse Brilliant, Ben Jack, Stanley Gibson and Clay Wood.

Florodora Whist Club.

Mrs. M. G. Herrera entertained the members of the Florodora Whist Club yesterday afternoon at her residence on South Alvarado street. The rooms were beautifully decorated with roses, poinsettias and ferns. Mrs. Frank Pitner captured first prize and the second was won by Mrs. Thomas Horner. At the close of the game refreshments were served. The club will be entertained by Mrs. Bryson two weeks from yesterday at her home, corner of Second and Hill streets. Those present were Mmes. M. W. Everhardy, Ferdinand Smith, Frank Pitner, Thomas Horner, George W. Walker, Edwin Metler, Frank Bryson, F. Reetkowsky, Hawley, T. E. McShane, Joseph Pascholy.

Altar Guild Bazaar.

The reception and sale held yesterday at the home of Rev. J. J. Wilkins on West Seventh street was a financial and social success. The affair was under the auspices of the Altar Guild, which is composed of the young ladies of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, and they acted as a reception committee and had charge of the handkerchief and candy booths. The booths were handsomely decorated with tropical foliage and flowers. During the afternoon Mrs. Henry T. Lee presided at the tea tables.

Charity Ball.

The charity ball to be given at Kramer's this evening for the benefit of the Children's Hospital, promises to be the social event of the season. More than eleven hundred invitations have been issued, and the society people have been very generous with their subscripitons. Those who have neglected to subscribe their money, in response to the invitations issued, will have the opportunity of doing so at the hall this evening.

Notes and Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. George I. Cochran will leave today on the Sunset Limited to attend the Mardi Gras in New Orleans.

An interesting debate will be held at the Y.M.C.A. tonight at 8 o'clock. The question, Resolved, that the provisions of the Constitution of the United States shall be extended to outside possessions," will be discussed by four of the members.

FEDERATED WOMAN'S CLUBS GATHERED.

DETAILS OF OPENING DAY OF STATE CONVENTION.

Los Angeles and Other Southern California Representatives in San Francisco for First Meeting, Important in View of Coming National Event.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 4.—The California Federation of Woman's Clubs is congratulating itself upon the fortituous beginning of the first convention in its history, and every indication points to a series of successful sessions. The delegates from the central and southern part of the State continue to arrive, and are rapidly enrolled and assigned to quarters. Mrs. F. E. Prior, president of the Wednesday Morning Club, Mrs. I. J. Reynolds and Mrs. Lou V. Chapin came in from Pasadena last evening, and are at the Sutherland, where Mrs. Strichland Clark of Los Angeles, Mrs. Ella Enderlein and Mrs. Llewellyn of Los Angeles are also quartered. Mrs. W. T. Lewis, president of the Ebell Club, came in this morning, and is at the Renton, while fifteen members and delegates from various Southern California clubs are at the Pleasanton, and held there an informal meeting this morning.

The various committees were hard at work all the forenoon getting the machinery of the convention in running order, and transacted a large amount of business. The interest was most intense in the work of the Nominating Committee, as Mrs. Lovell White's resignation from the head of the ticket made it necessary to choose a new candidate for the presidency.

Rumors were rife of a contest over this important office, more important now, in view of the approaching biennial meeting of the National Federation, but these were set at rest by the unanimous decision of the committee in favor of Mrs. Kate I. Bulkley, president of the Oakland Ebell Club, the oldest of California Woman's Clubs. Mrs. Bulkley is chairman of the Programme Committee, and one of the most popular of Northern California clubwomen.

The selection of Mrs. Bulkley as president is the sequel to the division in the California club upon the question of the admission of colored women to the General Federation of Clubs. In response to the circular sent out by the Executive Board of the National Federation of Woman's Clubs, the California Club discussed the color question, and its action upon the affirmative so displeased Mrs. White, its president, that she resigned, not only the presidency of the California Club, the most active and prominent organization in the San Francisco district, comprising in its membership 400 women, but also led to her withdrawal from the head of the State ticket. The vice-president of the California Club, through one of the newspapers, also resigned, stating over her own signature that her resignation was due to that of Mrs. White, but has not formally notified the club of her resolution, and the California Club, which has been most active in the State work and has done much to make the present meeting a success is placed in a most embarrassing position, and one with which the clubs generally sympathize. The formal meeting this afternoon was preceded by a council of the club presidents.

Mayor Schmitz opened the convention by an address of welcome. The assemblage that listened to his address was very different from the traditional gathering of "blue-stockings," and the well-gowned, well-poised and bright-faced clubwomen were quick to respond to the "points" in the Mayor's address, which expressed his views on the subject of woman suffrage. It was a typical presentation stereoptyped suffragists' argument, and might be said to be a political speech more moderate than might have been expected of a man of Mayor Schmitz's well-known socialistic tendencies, and had the great merit of brevity. He gave a brief review of woman's position in society under primitive conditions, and traced her up to the time when "woman" is spelled with a capital "W."

The welcome of the local clubs was tendered by Mrs. Louis Weinmann, and both were responded to by Mrs. Robert J. Burdette, president of the C.F.W.C., who replied in her happiest vein. Golden Gate Hall is beautifully decorated with greenery and bunting, and here this evening a brilliant reception will be held. The clubwomen of the city have spared no pains to make this reception one of the most notable ever held in the clubdom of this State.

The club presidents of all the local clubs will act as hostesses, and with them the wives of the presidents of the universities will extend greetings to the delegates and their friends. In tomorrow's letter I will give details of this function, which promises to be one of great brilliancy.

LOU V. CHAPIN.

GEMS AND JEWELS GONE.

Burglars Ransack Home at Lancaster and Take Valuable Articles—Goods Scattered on the Floors.

The police were notified yesterday of a burglary at Lancaster, which was one of the most successful in the history of that town. Tuesday afternoon during the temporary absence of A. Halsey, his residence was thoroughly ransacked. When the family returned the household goods were piled on the floors. There was much which the burglars might have stolen, but they were evidently looking for articles of value not difficult to carry.

Valuables were left on the floor, but the thieves secured two diamond rings, a gold watch and other jewelry of the total value of $150. The burglary is supposed to have been committed by tramps, of whom there are many constantly passing through Lancaster. A reward has been offered for the recovery of the goods and the capture of the burglars.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Ruskin Art Club.

The art environment of Sicily in the eleventh and twelfth centuries was the subject studied by the Ruskin Club yesterday, under the leadership of Mrs. W. H. Housh. Mrs. W. J. Washburn had prepared a fine map of the island, which she explained in a short talk, touching on the myths developed in certain localities and other features bearing on art atmosphere. Miss M. E. Abbott gave the early history of Sicily, tracing especially the rise of the family of Hauteville and its accession to the kingship in Roger, his sons and grandson. Mrs. H. G. Brainerd read a paper on Palermo. Mrs. J. C. Fletcher gave personal reminiscences of this city, and exhibited some very beautiful specimens of carved amber, a specialty of Catania. Miss A. M. Leroy described the Capella Palatina at Palermo and the cathedral of Monreale.

"Twentieth-century Boy."

Charles A. Kinou, superintendent of manual training in the city schools, gave an address on the above topic yesterday afternoon at the Child Study Circle of the Casco-street school. Miss Stone, special teacher of music, spoke on "The Relation of Music to the Development of the Child's Faculties," and Mrs. Jennie Donohue, principal of the school, spoke on "Promotions." Several songs were sung by the pupils of the third and fourth grades, and Miss Munden gave piano selections. There were twenty-nine patrons of the school present.

Santa Monica Coterie.

A meeting of the Santa Monica Coterie was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Josephine Dexter on Third street. Mrs. M. D. Featyer read a paper on "The Government of Russia." Mrs. Dexter read a paper on "The Present Ruler of Russia." A musical selection was given by Mrs. Vermille.

Mrs Alice A. Fitch of Los Angeles was received as a new member of the club. The Coterie is preparing to entertain a large delegation of the General Federation of Women's Clubs when that federation meets in Los Angeles.

SILVER-PLATED FAKER.

"But He Was Such a Nice-looking Young Fellow and Such a Good Talker."

A silver-tongued young man, with a silver-plating proposition, is reaping a harvest of silver coin from the housewives of Los Angeles.

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"I was fool enough to buy the stuff, though I knew about it, for I had been caught once before.

"But he was such a nice looking young fellow and such a good talker.

"I—huh—I like to have my faucets look nice and bright, and thought I'd try it again; but in twenty-four hours it just looks like frost, and tomorrow morning the frost will be gone.

"But he was such a nice looking young fellow and such a good talker.

"He told us how he was seling it for a San Francisco firm, just to introduce it, at 15 cents a bottle, but after this it could only be bought at 50 cents. Of course I knew that wasn't true, but then—he was such a nice looking fellow and was such a good talker.

"Some women bought six bottles, and I thought the public ought to be warned against the fraud, for it is just throwing one's money away.

"But—huh—he was such a——

"Oh, my, yes; it worked beautifully when he tried it for you.

"And he was such a——

"Yes, indeed; when I put it on the faucets it looked just like silver, but now it's only frost.

"But he was——

"Oh, yes, tell the people about it, for it is a clean swindle."

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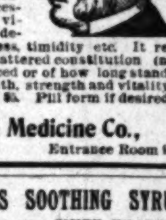

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Henry C. Demming, Notary Public.

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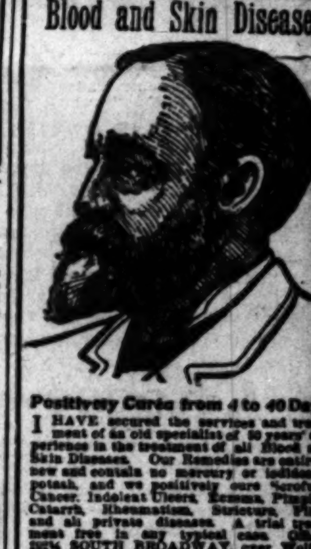

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, LOS ANGELES, Feb. 5, 1902.

FINANCIAL.

SAVINGS BANK INTEREST. The annual report of the Massachusetts Savings Bank Commissioner proves that the number of banks which paid 4 per cent. interest on deposits has fallen from 114 to 83. The average rate is now 3.75 per cent., against 3.81 per cent. a year ago. The banks have increased their investments in railway bonds, while their holdings of national bank shares are declining.

COST OF RE-EQUIPMENT. It was believed that one of the several reasons for the low price of United States Steel securities is the fact that too small a sum has been allowed for equipment depreciation. It was pointed out that the Carnegie company put aside for this purpose as much as 15 per cent. annually, while its successor allows but 4 per cent. Semi-officially the company has taken notice of this criticism, and permits it to be understood that the amount set aside is entirely for contingencies, and does not represent outlays for repairs, accidents, etc., actually made. These charges, it is said, are made against the product in hand. This practice, of course, reduces the net return on that product by the amount of the outlay, but its effect is declared to be that at the end of the year the plants of the corporation are in practically as good condition as at the beginning. This, in effect, signifies that the $3,000,000 already set aside for depreciation is in addition to these charges, made from time to time.—[American Banker.

COMMERCIAL.

SITUATION IN CURRANTS. Private mail advices from Patras, Greece, to a New York house, referring to the situation in currants, state: "The steadiness reported hitherto has been maintained, and the markets close at full prices, notwithstanding the limited business doing. Holders in the provinces are very firm and unwilling to sell; the arrivals in consequence are limited. The total shipments to December 31 compare as follows with the two preceding seasons:

To—	1901.	1900.	1899.
England	44,[illegible]	31,194	41,[illegible]
United States and Canada	14,809	4,145	14,[illegible]
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THE ORANGE MARKET.

Special and Authentic Quotations by Telegraph.

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NEW YORK AVERAGE PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The orange market is steady. Small sizes and good quality are generally in demand. Most of the thirteen cars disposed of today were off color. Weather is very cold. Prices follow:

Navels, extra fancy, large, 2.30@3.85; small, 2.20@2.40; fancy, large, 2.45@3.15; regulars, 2.20@2.90; small, 2.15@2.25; choice, large, 2.35@2.75; regulars, 1.85@2.65; small, 1.60@2.25; standards, 1.30@1.85. Grape fruit, 2.87@3.00.

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
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FINANCIAL.

SAVINGS BANK INTEREST. The annual report of the Massachusetts Savings Bank Commissioner proves that the number of banks which paid 4 per cent. interest on deposits has fallen from 114 to 83. The average rate is now 3.75 per cent., against 3.81 per cent. a year ago. The banks have increased their investments in railway bonds, while their holdings of national bank shares are declining.

COST OF RE-EQUIPMENT. It was believed that one of the several reasons for the low price of United States Steel securities is the fact that too small a sum has been allowed for equipment depreciation. It was pointed out that the Carnegie company put aside for this purpose as much as 15 per cent. annually, while its successor allows but 4 per cent. Semi-officially the company has taken notice of this criticism, and permits it to be understood that the amount set aside is entirely for contingencies, and does not represent outlays for repairs, accidents, etc., actually made. These charges, it is said, are made against the product in hand. This practice, of course, reduces the net return on that product by the amount of the outlay, but its effect is declared to be that at the end of the year the plants of the corporation are in practically as good condition as at the beginning. This, in effect, signifies that the $10,000 already set aside for depreciation is in addition to these charges made from time to time.—[American Banker.

COMMERCIAL.

SITUATION IN CURRANTS. Private mail advices from Patras, Greece, to a New York house, referring to the situation in currants, state: "The steadiness reported hitherto has been maintained, and the markets close at full prices, notwithstanding the limited business doing. Holders in the provinces are very firm and unwilling to sell; the arrivals in consequence are limited. The total shipments to December 31 compare as follows with the two preceding seasons:

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LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

The potato market is very firm, stocks at primary points being much reduced. In Oregon and Nevada a good many were destroyed by the frost.

Stocks of onions at all points are light and prices are firm at full outside figures.

In the local market dried fruits are in light supply. Stocks of prunes and raisins at primary points are becoming very light. Prices all around are very firm. A further advance in raisins is looked for at an early day.

There is a good demand for oranges. Eastern buyers are in the market for f. o. b. purchases. For January the shipments of citrus fruit were only 2234 carloads. For the first two months of the season, November and December, the shipments were 2732 carloads, making for three months 4966 carloads.

Last season the first two months showed shipments of 2734 carloads, and January there were shipped 2801 carloads, making 5535 carloads for three months. The shortage for January this year was 567 carloads. It was less even than in 1900 by nearly 400 carloads. For the three months the shortage is about the same as for January, as the shipments in the first two months were practically the same each season. In February last season there were shipped 3380 carloads, and in March 4256. It is apparent that these months this season will show a big deficit as compared with last season, or even with 1900.

Apples are in active demand in the local market, the best being advanced to $2 per box.

Bananas continue to come in freely, and the demand is good.

All kinds of live stock are firm, and fresh meats are so in an equal degree.

Butter is firm at 57½ to 60 cents for creamery and 50 to 52½ for dairy.

Eggs have fluctuated some from day to day, going as low as 19 cents, and as high as 21 cents. They are rather scarce today (Wednesday) and are firm at 21 cents.

Local cheese is very firm, stocks being very light at the factory.

Feed barley is firm. There is no more than enough to go round until new crop is in, and the new crop is by no means a certainty. Choice hay is fairly held. Anything good to fancy brings $10 to $13 per ton.

Poultry, whether alive or dressed, is very scarce. The market is all but bare of live poultry. Dressed poultry is costing high prices to lay down. Turkeys in carloads lots are quoted at 16¼ cents per pound.

Beans are quiet. Nearly all trade is in pinks. Prices are firm.

No changes are reported in cereal products.

Provisions are unusually steady. No quotable change what ever has taken place in ten days.

Potatoes, Onions and Vegetables.

POTATOES—Per ctl., choice to fancy, 2.00@2.25; fair to good, 1.60@1.75; sweets, 1.50@1.75.

ONIONS—Choice to fancy, per ctl., 2.75@3.00.

VEGETABLES—Beets, per cwt., 80@85; cabbage, 90@1.00; carrots, 80@85 per cwt.; green onions, 20 per lb.; dry chiles, per string, 75@1.00; lettuce, per doz., 20; parsnips, 1.20@1.25 per cwt.; green peas, 10@12; radishes, per doz. bunches, 25; string beans, 12@15; turnips, 85@90 per cwt.; garlic, 6@6½; tomatoes, 1.50@2.00; asparagus, per lb., 8@10; celery, per doz., 30@35; cauliflower, per doz., 40@50.

Dried Fruits, Nuts and Raisins.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, choice to fancy, 7½@8; apricots, 10@11; peaches, fancy, 7½@8; choice, 7@7½; pears, fancy evaporated, 8½@9; plums, pitted, choice, 7½@8; prunes, choice, 5@5½; fancy, 6@6½; dates, 5; figs, sacks, California, white, per lb., 6@7; California, black, per lb., 5@6; California, fancy layers, per lb., 6@7½; imported Smyrna, 8.

RAISINS—Fancy Clusters, per box, 2.00; London Layers, per box, 1.75@2.25; loose, 5@6 per lb.; Seedless Sultanas, 8@10.

NUTS — Almonds, paper-shell, 14; softshell, 12; hardshell, 11; Brazils, 14@16; filberts, 13@14; peanuts, raw, eastern, 6¼; roasted, 8¼; California, choice raw, 5¼; California, fancy raw, 6; California, roasted, 7@7½; walnuts, softshell, first grade, 10¼@11; hardshell, first grade, 9¼@10; pinenes, New Mexico, 7.

Fresh Fruits and Berries.

LEMONS—Per box, choice to fancy, 2.00@2.10; green, 1.00@1.50.

ORANGES—Navels, 2.00@2.50.

LIMES—Per 100, 1.00.

COCOANUTS—Per doz., 90@1.00.

PINEAPPLES—Per doz., 4.00@5.00.

GRAPE FRUIT—Per box, 1.50@1.75.

STRAWBERRIES—Per box, common, 10@12; fancy, 12@15.

APPLES—Good to choice, 1.50@2.00.

BANANAS—Per bunch, 2.00@2.50.

CRANBERRIES—Per bbl., 10.50@11.00.

Live Stock.

HOGS—Per cwt., 5.00@6.00.

CATTLE—Per cwt., 4.00@4.25 for prime steers; 3.00@3.75 for cows and heifers; calves, 4.50@5.00.

SHEEP—Per head, wethers, 4.50@5.00; ewes, 4.00@4.50; lambs, 3.00@3.50.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY—Mill price, 95.

OATS—Jobbing price, 1.35@1.40.

CORN—1.45.

HAY—New barley, 8.00@12.00; alfalfa, 10.00@11.00; loose, 8.00@10.00.

WHEAT—Mill price, per cental, 1.10@1.20.

Poultry.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 10@11 per lb. for poultry; ducks, 10@11; for turkeys, 14@15; geese, 10@11.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

BUTTER—Fancy Board of Trade creamery, per square, 60; southern creamery, 55; dairy, 45. Coast creamery, 52½@55.

EGGS—Per doz., fresh ranch, 21.

CHEESE — California, Anchor, per lb., 15¼; California, Young America, per lb., 16¼; California, 3-lb. hand, per lb., 17½; Coast, full cream, per lb., 15½@16; domestic Swiss, per lb., 17@17½; imported Swiss, per lb., 27; Edam, fancy, per doz., 9.50; Martin's New York cream, per lb., 15½@16; Wisconsin, full cream, per lb., 15½@16; Magnw, 16@16½.

Honey and Beeswax.

BEESWAX—Per lb., 21@25.

HONEY—Per lb., in comb, frames, 11@12½; extracted, 5@6.

Beans.

BEANS — Pink, 2.65@2.85; Lima, 5.50; Lady Washington, 3.75; white, small, 4.00@4.25.

Flour and Feedstuffs.

FLOUR—Per bbl., local extra roller process, 5.00@5.10; northern, 5.35; eastern, Pillsbury's Best, 5.60; other brands, 5.75@6.00; graham flour 2.00 per 100 lbs.

Fresh Meats.

BEEF—Per lb., 7¼@7¾.

VEAL—8@10.

MUTTON—Per lb., 8; lamb, 9¼.

PORK—Per lb., 8.

Provisions.

HAMS—Per lb., Rex, 13¼; Gilbert, 11¼; picnic, 9@10½; Winchester, medium, 13¼; do., light, 14; Premium, 14½; skinned, 14½; 49'er, 13¼@14; Gold Band, 14¼.

DRY SALT PORK — Per lb., clear bellies, 11¼@12¼; short clears, 11¼@11½; clear backs, 10¼@11¼.

DRIED BEEF—Per lb., insides, 14½@17½.

PICKLED PORK—Per bbl., Sunderland, 24.00.

BACON—Per lb., Rex breakfast, 14@14¼; mild cured do., 13¼; special fancy, 15; bacon backs, 12¼; Winchester, medium, 13¼@14; light, 15; Empire, 15¼; Premium, 17¼; 49'er, medium, 13¼@14; light, 14; Gold Band, 17¼.

LARD — Pure, per lb., Silver Leaf, tierces, 12; 50-lb. tins, 12¼; 10s, 12¼; 5s, 12¾; 3s, 13¼; Rex, tierces, 11¼; 50s, 12¼; 20s, 12¼; 10s, 12¼; 5s, 12¼; 3s, 12¼; White Label, tierces, 12; 50s, 12¼; 10s, 12¾; 5s, 12⅞; 3s, 13¼.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

SHARES AND MONEY.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Today's stock market was a dull affair again, in spite of spasmodic efforts by pools to awaken a general movement. By the time they succeeded in moving prices at one point depression would develop at another, and in consequence the dull movement was irregular all day. Striking movements in closely-held high-priced stocks continued a feature. The significance of these movements was not disclosed, although traders sought to make the most of them for their sympathetic effect on the general list. These apparently sensational movements on a very small volume of trading are a natural consequence where the stock of a company is closely held for purposes of control, or centralized in the hands of a few powerful capitalists for investment, who are quite uninfluenced by the course of prices in the open market. Among the stocks so moving were the Chicago and Northwestern, American Express, United States Express and Lackawanna, Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis, which advanced 10½ yesterday and reacted 2½ today. The recent sensational upward movement in Lackawanna is associated with the rumors of control of that road in the interest of an outlay for the Wabash system. The Wabash stocks were very firm today in the same connection. Another center of speculation was in the local traction stocks under the influence of published reports from Philadelphia of information of a securities company to hold Metropolitan Street Railway stock and possibly other local traction stocks. Manhattan was the most active of this group, and Metropolitan Street Railway, after an upward spurt of 1¼, declined on profit-taking, falling 1⅜ below last night during the day and pulling the other local tractions with it. The speculation in Amalgamated Copper was very feverish, the price running off 1⅜ during the morning on the further break in London copper markets and the slump in Rio Tintos. The steadying of the London copper market and reports of a panic among the bears in Rio Tintos rallied Amalgamated Copper to 1¼ over last night, and it was an effective factor in the late rally in the New York stock market. The speculative pool operating in Southern Pacific took that stock vigorously in hand, and pushed it up 1⅜ on very large bidding. The general market rallied in sympathy. St. Paul rose 2 points over last night and a number of other transcontinentals about a point. Steel also developed some strength at the close. The recent buying of sugar continued, but its net gain was only a fraction. There was no general influence effective in the market at any time beyond the disposition to dullness caused by the export movement of gold and the unsettled question of the Northern Securities Company. The bond market was only moderately active, but was inclined to be firm. Total sales, par value, $4,747,000. United States refundings, 2s advanced ⅛ per cent. on the last call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

Atchison	77	So. Railway	33
Atchison pfd	97½	So. Railway pfd	94½
Baltimore & Ohio	103¾	Texas & Pacific	38
B. & O. pfd	96	T., St. L. & W.	20⅞
Canadian Pacific	114⅜	T., St. L. pfd	39
Canada Southern	87½	Union Pacific	102⅞
Ches. & Ohio	45¾	Union Pac. pfd	89½
Chicago & Alton	34¼	Wabash	23
C. & Alton pfd	75⅜	Wabash pfd	43⅜
C., I. & L.	52¼	Wheeling & L. E.	17½
C., I. & L. pfd	75½	W. & L. E. 2d pfd	28½
C. & E. Illinois	142	Wis. Central	20⅞
Chicago & G. W.	22⅞	Wis. Cen. pfd	40½
C. & G. W. "A"	84⅜	Express Co's—	
C. & G. W. "B"	45¼	Adams	205
Chicago & N. W.	217½	American	224
C., R. I. & P.	162⅞	United States	116
Chicago Ter	17	Wells-Fargo	195
Chicago Ter. pfd	31½	Miscellaneous—	
C. C. C. & St. L.	100⅝	Amal. Copper	74⅞
Colo. Southern	15⅞	Am. Car & F.	28¾
Colo. So. 1st pfd	60	Am. C. & F. pfd	87
Colo. So. 2d pfd	32¼	Am. Linseed Oil	22¼
Del. & Hudson	173½	Am. Lin. Oil pfd	47¼
D., L. & W.	291	Am. S. & R.	47
Denver & R. G.	42⅞	Am. S. & R. pfd	97¼
D. & R. G. pfd	91¾	Anaconda M. Co.	34
Erie	39¼	Brooklyn R. T.	65½
Erie 1st pfd	69⅝	Colo. Fuel & I.	87¼
Erie 2d pfd	56	Con. Gas	217½
Great N. pfd	187½	Cont'l Tob. pfd	117
Hocking Valley	69	Gen. Electric	280¼
Hock. Val. pfd	84	Glucose Sugar	48½
Illinois Central	137½	Hocking Coal	15¼
Iowa Central	40½	Int'l Paper	19⅜
Iowa Cen. pfd	74	Int'l Paper pfd	74½
Lake Erie & W.	67½	Int'l Power	87
L. E. & W. pfd	132	Laclede Gas	90
Louis. & Nash.	104¼	Nat'l Biscuit	44¼
Manhattan L.	135⅞	Nat'l Lead	17½
Met. St. Ry.	171	Nat'l Salt	30
Mexican Central	28¾	Nat'l Salt pfd	64
Mexican Nat'l	17½	North American	93
Minn. & St. L.	107½	Pacific Coast	73
Missouri Pacific	103½	Pacific Mail	45¼
M., K. & Texas	24½	People's Gas	100⅝
M., K. & T. pfd	52⅞	P. Steel Car	41½
N. J. Central	190	P. S. Car pfd	83¼
N. Y. Central	162¼	Pull. Palace Car	217
Norfolk & W.	56	Republic Steel	16⅜
N. & W. pfd	92¼	Rep. Steel pfd	69¼
Ontario & W.	33⅜	Sugar	127⅞
Pennsylvania	149¼	Tenn. Coal & I.	61⅞
Reading	56⅜	Union Bag & P.	13
Reading 1st pfd	82	Union Bag pfd	74
Reading 2d pfd	63½	U. S. Leather	11⅜
St. Louis & S. F.	62½	U. S. L. pfd	80⅜
St. L. 1st pfd	83½	U. S. Rubber	14¾
St. L. 2d pfd	73	U. S. R. pfd	51
St. Louis, S. W.	26	U. S. Steel	43⅜
St. L., S. W. pfd	58¼	U. S. Steel pfd	93⅜
St. Paul	163⅜	Western Union	90⅝
St. Paul pfd	188	Am. Loc. Co.	32¼
Southern Pacific	64¼	Am. Loc. Co. pfd	92¾

Total sales for the day, 583,100 shares.

Bond List.

U. S. R. 2s reg	108¼	L. & N. Un. 4s	101⅜
U. S. R. 2s coup	108¼	Mex. Cen. 4s	82⅜
U. S. 3s reg	108¼	Mex. C. 1st Inc	32
U. S. 3s coup	108¼	M. & St. L. 4s	104
U. S. n. 4s reg	139½	M., K. & T. 4s	99¼
U. S. n. 4s coup	139½	M., K. & T. 2ds	*81¼
U. S. old 4s reg	112	N. Y. C. 1sts	103⅜
U. S. old 4s coup	112	N. Y. C. G. 3½s	108
U. S. 5s reg	106	N. J. C. Gen. 5s	136½
U. S. 5s coup	106	N. P. 4s	105⅜
Atchison, Gen. 4s	103⅞	N. P. 3s	74⅜
Atchison, Adj. 4s	93⅜	N. & W. Con. 4s	103
B. & O. 4s	103⅞	Reading Gen. 4s	99
B. & O. 3½s	96¼	St. L. & I. M. 5s	*117¼
B. & O. Conv. 4s	105½	St. L. & S. F. 4s	*97¼
Can. So. 2ds	110⅜	St. L., S. W. 1sts	98⅜
Cen. of Ga. 5s	111	St. L., S. W. 2ds	78¼
C. of Ga. 1st Inc	79⅞	S. A. & A. P. 4s	91¼
C. & O. 4½s	102¼	So. Pacific 4s	95
C. & A. 3½s	84¼	So. Railway 5s	120
C., B. & Q. n. 4s	96⅜	T. & P. 1sts	120¼
C., M. & St. P. 4s	114	T., St. L. & W.	85
C. & N. W. 7s	138½	Union Pacific 4s	105
C., R. I. & P. 4s	110⅜	U. P. Conv. 4s	106⅜
C. C. C. & St. L.	103⅞	Wabash 1sts	118⅜
Chicago Ter. 4s	88½	Wabash 2ds	*117½
Colo. & So. 4s	92⅞	Wabash Deb. B.	69¼
D. & R. G. 4s	102⅞	West Shore 4s	*112½
Erie prior lien 4s	98½	W. & L. E. 4s	93⅞
Erie Gen. 4s	88⅞	Wis. Cen. 4s	88¼
Fort Worth 1sts	109½	Cont'l Tob. 4s	66¼
Hock. Val. 4½s	108½		

*Bid.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Money—		U. S. Steel pfd	93¼
Call loans	3@4	Mining—	
Time loans	3½@4½	Adventure	22¼
Bonds—		Allouez	3½
Atchison 4s	102	Amalgamated	74¼
Gas 1st	82	Baltic	40½
Mex. Cen. 4s	82	Bingham	23¼
Railroads—		C. & Hecla	635@650
Atchison	72	Centennial	13¼
Atchison pfd	97⅜	Copper Range	60
Boston & Albany	262	Dominion Coal	70½
Boston & Maine	191	Franklin	15½
Boston Elevated	162	Isle Royale	22¼
N. Y. N. H. & H.	210	Mohawk	35⅜
Fitchburg pfd	145	Old Dominion	23¼
Union Pacific	102⅜	Osceola	85¼
Mexican Central	28	Parrot	32¼
Miscellaneous—		Quincy	140
Am. Sugar	128⅜	Santa Fe Copper	1⅝
Am. Sugar pfd	118	Tamarack	260
Am. Tel. & Tel.	158½	Trimountain	74
Dom. I. & S.	32	Trinity	13⅜
Gen. Electric	280	United States	17¼
Mass. Electric	35	Utah	25
Mass. Elec. pfd	92	Victoria	5¼
United Fruit	87	Winona	1⅝
U. S. Steel	43⅜	Wolverine	51½

New York Money.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Money on call was steady at 2¼@2½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87⅝ for demand and at 4.84½@4.84⅝ for sixty days. Posted rates, 4.85@4.85½ and 4.88. Commercial bills, 4.84¼@4.84⅝. Bar silver steady, 55¼. Mexican dollars, 43¾. Bonds, government, strong; State, inactive; railroad, strong.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Wheat lay almost lifeless today—the dullest market it has experienced for a long time. Routine news was indifferent, and on the whole, the pit lacked any feature to redeem it from lethargy. The early fluctuations were almost imperceptible, though, under the influence of corn, May at one time got ⅛c under yesterday's close. There was almost no speculation. Cables were slightly lower, but improved with the day. There were some selling orders, and the local crowd sold at every opportunity, though not to any great extent. The usual statistics were slightly bullish, but helped little. May opened ⅛ to ¼c lower at 78@77⅞, and sold up to 78⅛. On the corn break May slowly declined to 77⅝, but reacted on covering, the small reaction in corn and the improving cables. May closed a trifle weaker, ⅛ to ¼c lower, at 77⅝. Corn, while not so dull as wheat, was a weak and quiet market. Sentiment was generally bearish, regardless of bullish news from the country. May corn closed ⅜ to ½c lower, at 63¼. Oats were dull and featureless. May closed ⅛ to ¼c lower at 44. After a fairly strong and higher opening, provisions sold off with the grain slump. May pork closed 5c lower; lard a shade lower and ribs unchanged.

The leading futures closed as follows:

	Closing.
Wheat, No. 2—	
February	74⅜
May	77⅝
July	78@78⅛
Corn, No. 2—	
May	63⅜
July	62⅞@63
September	61⅞@62
Oats, No. 2—	
May	44
July	38
September	32⅞

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was steady; No. 3 spring wheat, 71@75; No. 2 red, 83½@85; No. 3 white oats, 45½@47¼; No. 2 rye, 60½; fair to choice malting barley, 58@63½; No. 1 flax seed, 1.70; No. 1 northwestern, 1.73; prime timothy seed, 6.55; mess pork, per bbl., 15.65@15.70; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.27½@9.30; short ribs, sides (loose,) 8.20@8.40; dry salted shoulders (boxed,) 7@7¼; short clear sides (boxed,) 8.62½@8.75; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.31; clover, contract grade, 9.40.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	50,000	24,000
Wheat, bushels	109,000	52,000
Corn, "	69,000	52,000
Oats, "	96,000	68,000
Rye, "	5,000	4,000
Barley, "	44,000	16,000

On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 16@28; dairy, 15@22; cheese, steady, 9¾@11½. Eggs, firm; fresh, 26½.

Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Close: Wheat, February, 74⅜; May, 77⅝. Corn, February, 60½; May, 63⅜. Oats, February, 42; May, 44. Pork, February, 15.60; May, 15.85. Lard, February, 9.20; May, 9.45@9.47½. Ribs, February, 8.35; May, 8.47½. Flax, cash Northwestern, 1.73. Rye, February, 58½. Barley, cash, 58@64. Timothy, 6.60.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—There was active decline of a quarter of a cent in prices for copper in the New York market today, and at London there was a loss of 7s 6d for spot and 10s for futures. At New York lake closed at 12½@13; electrolytic, 12½@12⅝; casting, 12¼@12½. London closed spot £52 17s 6d and futures £52 15s. Lead unchanged here at 24.25. London closed 15s higher, with spot at £110 and futures £104 10s. Lead unchanged at New York and London. The price here was 4.10; London £11 12s 6d. Spelter weak here, but unchanged at 4.20; London unchanged, £17 10s. Local iron market firm, but quiet. Pig iron warrants closed at 11.00@12.00.

London Financial Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The Commercial Advertiser's London financial cablegram says: "The tone of the stock market was good today, the partially-successful pursuit of Gen. De Wet's forces stimulating buying. The American department was still neglected. The copper situation is looked upon with disfavor, as are New York gold exports. In the afternoon, however, New York bought Southern Pacific on a revival of old consolidation rumors. Rio Tintos closing 45¼, after having touched the extreme of 44½. Anaconda closed at 61 5-16, or ⅛ down for the day. Anglo-American breweries were firmly bought in anticipation of the removal of the war tax on beer in July. Canadian Pacific jumped on Berlin buying. It is understood that the Charter Trust Company has received subscriptions to the amount of £7,000,000."

California Dried Fruit.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Evaporated apples are meeting a very moderate demand, but are steady at former quotations. State, common to good, are quoted at 7@8¾; prime, 8¾@9¼; choice, 9½@10; fancy, 10¼@11. In California dried fruits also the movement is small. Apricots and prunes are firm, and peaches steady at unchanged prices. Prunes, 3½@6¾. Apricots, Royal, 10@14; Moorpark, 9¾@12½. Peaches, peeled, 14@18; unpeeled, 7½@9½.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Wheat, spot easier; options closed weak at ½c net decline. March closed at 83⅞; May, 83⅜; July, 83¼. Hops, steady. Hides quiet. Wools, steady. Coffee, spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice 5⅜; mild quiet; Cordova, 8@12. Coffee, futures steady and unchanged to 5 points lower; March, 5.45; May, 5.55@5.60; July, 5.75@5.85; October, 5.95; December, 6.10@6.20; January, 6.15.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Butter, receipts 5290 packages; strong; State dairy, 15@25; creamery, 19@27½; June creamery, 16@22; factory, 14@18. Eggs, receipts 6290 packages; strong; State and Pennsylvania, 29; western at market, 29.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Sugar, raw steady; fair refining, 3 3-16; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11-16; molasses sugar, 2 15-16; refined steady; crushed, 5.75; powdered, 4.85; granulated, 4.75. Coffee, steady, No. 7 Rio, 5⅜.

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Cotton closed steady, with prices net 2 to 6 points higher.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 5.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the Division of Redemption, shows: Available cash balance, $174,547,631; gold, $88,101,645.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 5.—Wool firm; Territory and western medium, 16@18; fine, 12@17; coarse, 12@16.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, Feb. 5.—Wheat, Walla Walla, 64½@65; blue stem, 65½; valley, 64.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, Feb. 5.—Wheat, unchanged; blue stem, 64½; club, 63½.

Oil Transactions.

OIL CITY (Pa.) Feb. 5.—Credit balances 1.15; certificates, no bid.

London Silver.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Consols, 94 9-16; silver, 25½.

Liverpool Cotton.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 5.—Cotton, uplands, 4 17-32d.

EASTERN LIVE-STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO CLOSING FIGURES.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—Cattle, receipts 16,000, including 500 Texans; opened strong, ruled steady; good to prime steers, 6.50@7.00; poor to medium, 4.00@6.00; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.50; cows, 1.25@5.25; heifers, 2.50@5.50; canners, 1.25@2.25; bulls, 2.50@4.60; calves, 3.00@7.50; Texas-fed steers, 4.00@5.50. Hogs, receipts today, 35,000; tomorrow 33,000; left over, 2250; active, strong to 5c higher; mixed and butchers, 5.90@6.35; good to choice heavy, 6.30@6.55; rough heavy, 6.00@6.25; light, 5.75@6.10; bulk of sales, 5.95@6.35. Sheep, receipts 15,000; sheep and lambs, strong to 10c higher; good to choice wethers, 4.60@5.30; fair to choice mixed, 3.80@4.60; western sheep and yearlings, 4.25@5.65; native lambs, 3.50@6.30; western lambs, 5.00@6.30.

Kansas City Live-stock Market.

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 5.—Cattle receipts, 6000; including 1000 Texans; strong; native steers, 4.85@6.50; Texas and Indian steers, 4.25@5.65; Texas cows, 2.75@4.25; native cows and heifers, 3.00@5.30; stockers and feeders, 3.50@5.25; bulls, 3.00@4.65; calves, 4.50@6.75. Hogs, receipts, 11,000; market 5c higher; bulk of sales, 5.60@6.40; heavy, 6.30@6.45; packers, 6.15@6.45; medium, 6.00@6.40; light, 5.50@6.55; Yorkers, 5.30@6.00; pigs, 4.80@5.25. Sheep, receipts, 1000; market, steady; muttons, 4.00@4.85; lambs, 4.50@6.00; range wethers, 4.40@4.70; ewes, 4.00@4.50.

South Omaha Live-stock Market.

SOUTH OMAHA, Feb. 5.—Cattle, receipts 3000; market active 10c higher; native steers, 4.00@6.70; cows and heifers, 3.00@4.85; western steers, 3.75@5.30; Texas steers, 3.50@4.50; canners, 2.00@3.00; stockers and feeders, 3.00@4.65; calves, 4.00@6.75; bulls, stags, etc., 2.25@4.50. Hogs, receipts, 10,000. Market 5c higher; heavy, 6.15@6.40; mixed, 6.00@6.15; light, 5.70@6.10; pigs, 4.50@5.60; bulk of sales, 6.00@6.20. Sheep, receipts, 200; market 10@15c higher; fed muttons, 4.50@5.50; westerns, 3.75@4.50; ewes, 3.00@4.50; common and stockers, 2.75@4.40; lambs, 4.75@6.25.

Denver Live-stock Market.

DENVER, Feb. 5.—Cattle, receipts 700; active, firm; beef steers, 3.75@5.25; cows 2.50@4.00; stockers and feeders, freight paid to river, 3.00@4.50; bulls, stags, etc., 1.50@2.50. Hogs, receipts, 600; steady; light packers, 6.00@6.05; mixed and heavy, 6.10@6.20. Sheep, receipts, 200; steady; good fat muttons, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 4.00@5.25.

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SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Wheat steady; barley and oats firm; hay quiet; bran and middlings steady; beans dull; butter firm; cheese steady; eggs quiet; oranges and lemons steady; choice apples steady; vegetables firm; poultry firm.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Flour—Net cash prices for family extras, 3.50@3.75 per bbl.; bakers, 3.40@3.50; Oregon and Washington, 2.75@3.25.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.07½; milling, 1.10@1.12½.

Barley—Feed, 90@92½ per ctl.; brewing, 92½@95; Chevalier, 95@1.15.

Oats—Red, 1.22½@1.42½ per ctl.; white, 1.25@1.42½; black, 1.15@1.30.

Hay—Wheat, 10.00@14.00 per ton; wheat and oat, 10.00@13.00; oat, 8.00@10.50 for wild and 8.50@11.00 for tame; barley, 8.00@10.00; alfalfa, 9.00@10.50; clover, 7.00@8.50.

Straw—45@65 per bale.

Millstuffs — Middlings, 20.00@21.50 per ton; mixed feed, 16.00@17.00; rolled barley, 19.00@20.00; oatmeal, 4.75@5.00 per 10 lbs.; oat groats, 5.00; rolled oats, 5.85@6.25 for wood, and 6.50@6.60 for sacks.

Beans—Lima, 4.60@4.60 per sack; small white, 3.10@3.25; large white, 2.50@2.60; pink, 2.00@2.25.

Potatoes—River Burbanks, 1.10@1.25 per sack; Salinas Burbanks, 1.50@1.75; Merced sweets, 1.40@1.50; Oregon Burbanks, 1.30@1.70; Early Rose, 1.50@1.60; river reds, 1.50@1.60.

Onions—Fancy, 2.75 per 100 lbs.; common, 2.00.

Various—Green peas, 7@9 per lb.; egg plant, 20@25; squash, 1.25@1.75; green peppers, 20@25; garlic, 1¼@2½ per lb.; cucumbers, 50@1.50 per box; mushrooms, nominal; tomatoes, 1.50@2.50; string beans, 12½@15; Mexican tomatoes, 1.50@2.00.

Fruit — Fancy apples, 2.00 per box; common apples, 50; pears, common, 75; fancy, 2.75.

Tropical fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.75 per bunch; pineapples, 2.00@4.00 per doz.

Citrus fruits — Oranges, navels, 75@2.50 per box; seedlings, 50@1.25; Mexican limes, 4.00@5.00; common California lemons, 50; good to choice, 2.50; Japanese Mandarins, 2.00@2.50.

Butter — Fancy creamery, 27; seconds, 22; fancy dairy, 25; seconds, 17.

Cheese — New, 11¼; old, 11; eastern, 13@16; Young America, 11¼.

Eggs—Ranch, 21@22½ per doz.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 13@15 per lb.; dressed, 16@18; old roosters, 4.50@5.00 per doz.; young roosters, 5.00@6.00; small broilers, 3.00@4.00; large broilers, 4.00@5.00; fryers, 4.50@5.00; hens, 4.50@5.50; ducks, old, 5.00@5.50; young, 6.00@7.00; geese, 1.50@1.75; goslings, 2.00@2.25; pigeons, old, 1.50@1.75; pigeons, young, 2.50@2.75.

Receipts.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Receipts, flour, 892; do. Oregon 2048; barley, 42,821; onions, sacks, 110; middlings, sacks 500; straw, tons 5; hides, number 217; wheat, 61,160; oats, 740; beans, sacks 3047; potatoes, sacks 2285; bran, sacks 32; do. Oregon 757; hay, tons 481; hops, bales 4; wine, gallons 117,150.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Wheat, steady; May, 1.08⅞; Barley, strong; May 86; corn, large yellow, 1.35@1.40; bran, 18.50@19.50.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—Silver bars, 55¼; Mexican dollars, 45; drafts, sight, 12½; telegraph, 15.

KERN COUNTY.

MAKING KNOT LEGAL.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 5.—The first correction of the mistake of being married by a Bakersfield City Recorder instead of a minister of the gospel or a magistrate duly enumerated in the statute, was made today, Mr. and Mrs. William Fowler having gone through the ceremony before Justice Millard. The Fowlers intended marriage May 6 last, and lived in blissful ignorance of the fact that they were not lawfully united until the recent decision of a Sacramento court setting aside a ceremony performed by City Recorder Mahon.

KERN COUNTY BREVITIES.

After some difficulty in securing a suitable person to act as the salaried secretary of the new Board of Trade, the Executive Committee has named B. L. Brundage, present City Assessor. He is qualified for the place, being thoroughly informed regarding the resources of the county, and having had large experience in farming, fruit and stock raising, irrigation and the oil business.

Judge Mahon today heard the habeas corpus proceedings in the cases of Albert Burdell, Fred Chickering and E. Webster, discharging the defendants. They were accused of having burglarized the store of Morrow & Hussey, but in the opinion of the court the proof against them was not strong enough to warrant holding.

SAN DIEGO COUNTY.

MEXICAN PAUPERS BARRED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 5.—Maj. You, United States Immigration Inspector, this morning stopped a party of Mexican immigrants from entering the country at Tia Juana on the ground that they were beggars, mendicant and paupers per se. The major's duties here are to prohibit the influx of Chinese immigrants, but he took this action under the law prohibiting European paupers from entering the country. There were fourteen in the party, besides some children, and they admitted that they could not make a living in Ensenada, whence they came. The major thought that Southern California had enough of that class of population.

NOT THE MURDERER.

Sheriff H. L. Borgwardt of Kern county arrived here today on the trail of Arthur H. Brady, who is wanted at McKittrick for the murder of Bert Webb, December 27. Brady has been trailed this way, and it is thought is making has way toward the Mexican line. A man giving the name of Edward Terrell and fitting the description of the murderer was arrested in Oceanside today on the suspicion of being the man wanted. William Henry Borgwordt's traveling companion and an intimate of Brady, stated, however, that he was not the party wanted, and Terrell was released after an examination in the Sheriff's office. Borgwardt will go to Tia Juana tomorrow.

FOUR-COMPANY POST.

Col. Wheeler, Chief Quartermaster, Department of California, is in the city conferring with the city officers and making investigations of the military reservation at Point Loma, with the idea of having buildings erected to accommodate a four-company post. It was for this reason that the engineers were anxious to have constructed the water mains to Point Loma, so as to have furnished an adequate water supply. There are now stationed here but two posts, and when the buildings are completed there will be brought four more, making a total of 436 men. There is a possibility that more will come later.

CORONADO BEACH.

TRIP THAT'S NOVEL.

HOTEL DEL CORONADO, Feb. 5.—A novel trip, and the first of the kind to be attempted to this point, was that of Mr. and Mrs. Ellicott Evans of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell of Albany, N. Y., who rode from Pasadena, where they have been spending the winter, to Coronado in their automobile. Three days were consumed on the trip, and the quartette are delighted with their journey, which has been rich in episodes. In speaking of their experience last evening, Mr. Russell and Mr. Evans were profuse in their praise of the hospitality of Southern Californians, having been delightfully treated by every one whom they have met since leaving Pasadena.

Mrs. J. Stanley Brown of Pasadena, daughter of the late President Garfield, is a guest at the hotel.

W. W. Wheeler, Corps of Engineers, U.S.A., is registered at the hotel.

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DRAW THE LINE.

German Government is Determined to Make No Concessions to Agrarians Beyond Those in Present Bill.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS. P.M.]

BERLIN, Feb. 5.—[By Atlantic Cable.] A preponderance of press and public opinion seems to unquestionably support the Imperial Chancellor, Count Von Buelow, in respect to the demands of the landed aristocracy for an increase in the tariff above the rates provided in the new bill. The discontent of this powerful section of the government's supporters adds to the difficulties of the Chancellor's position and naturally causes some gossip in the Reichstag lobbies to the effect that if the bill fails Von Buelow's Chancellorship will be discredited before the country and the Emperor.

The correspondent of the Associated Press is informed that the ministry has taken its stand against the agrarians after the most careful examination of the situation, and with the conviction that the country will support it. Nothing will be done without the Emperor's full knowledge. The ministry is determined in no case to accept higher agricultural duties than the bill designates.

SPOILS OF OFFICE.

According to Reiss, All the Fat Over Twelve Thousand a Year Was Assigned to Michael Dady.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ALBANY (N. Y.) Feb. 5.—Gov. Odell has begun a hearing of the charge upon which the removal from office of Sheriff Guden of Kings county is asked. The allegation is that Guden entered into a bargain with Michael J. Dady, a leader in the Republican organization in Brooklyn, and a member of the Board of Election Commissioners of the city of New York to the effect that if nominated for Sheriff and elected he would appoint as his subordinates only such persons as Dady should name, and that all profits of the office above a rate of $12,000 per annum should go to Dady.

The allegations were first made publicly in a speech made last fall by Bert Reiss, who was the Republican nominee for Congress in the district at the election in 1900, and attributed his defeat to the hostility of Dady.

Early yesterday four masked men entered the office of George ..., contractor of Elizabethport, N. J., who is constructing car shops for the Jersey Central Railroad, binding & gagging a watchman.

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[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

CROWD OF VISITORS GOES TO SANTA ANA.

EXCURSION FROM LOS ANGELES A GREAT SUCCESS.

...and Fifty People Shown ... Orange County's Capital ...y Valley—New Primary ...ed.

..., Feb. 5.—Four hundred ...onists came today from ...d took in the sights of ...n arrival at the depots ... by the Reception Com...nducted up town, the ... previously been pro... Chamber of Com... Lunch was served at ...restaurants, after which ...hos, carriages and bug...excursionists for a drive ..."Kite," through Orange, ...Modena and Tustin. The ..., under the leadership ... were at the bank corner ... and flowers, which were ... with a lavish hand.

...party returned to Santa Ana in ... for those who desired to return ... Los Angeles on the evening train. ... of the visitors are here for a ... days to see more of the section. The excursion was a great success in every particular.

REPUBLICANS MEET.

There was a meeting of the Repub... County Central Committee in Santa Ana this afternoon to take steps ... inaugurating the Crawford ... system of holding primaries. The committee decided to carry out the instructions of the last county con... and hold the next primaries accordingly.

SANTA ANA BREVITIES.

... Robbins has been appointed ... of the Thirty-ninth Masonic district of California, embracing the Santa Ana, Orange, Anaheim and Fullerton lodges in this county, and the lodges in Whittier, Compton, Wilmington, San Pedro, Long Beach, Downey, Norwalk and Redondo in Los Angeles county. The selection is a compliment to Mr. Robbins, who is one of the best-posted Masons in the district.

The directors of the Orange County Home Mutual Building and Loan Association last night elected John McFadden president; Thomas McKeever, vice-president, Fred W. Mansur, secretary; M. L. Lane, treasurer.

A marriage license was issued yesterday to William W. Manter, aged 35 years, and Hannah Stephens, aged 30 years, residents of Anaheim.

T. C. Martin and wife, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoffman, left yesterday for their home in Walla Walla, Wash.

R. J. Northam has sold ten acres of land near Bolsa Chica Bay to the West Coast Land and Water Company for $1800.

C. J. Ross of Galesburg, Ill., arrived yesterday, expecting to make his home here. Mr. Ross is a son-in-law of W. W. Mills.

Mrs. N. Baker has returned from Los Angeles, where she has been visiting her brother, W. S. Purdy.

Mrs. George Kryhl has returned from Los Angeles, where she has been visiting her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. C. ... Perkins of Newark, N. Y., are spending some time in this vicinity.

Miss Ama Button of Tustin has gone to Los Angeles to enter the State Normal School.

Mrs. W. M. Smart and daughter, Jeannette, visited friends in Los Angeles today.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Meacham have arrived from Los Angeles to make their home.

Miss Rena Collins is the guest of Los Angeles friends for a few days.

FULLERTON.

HONEY STRONG ON BEES.

FULLERTON, Feb. 5.—H. A. Honey, formerly owner of the Fullerton waterworks, will leave soon on an extended visit through Cuba and Porto Rico with a view of engaging in the bee business on a large scale if the finds a suitable location. He now has 100 stands of bees in Santiago Cañon, ships honey in large quanties annually, and will increase the number of stands to 500. Unless it rains soon Mr Honey will move his bees to Ventura county, leave an experienced man in charge, and then will leave on his southern trip.

FULLERTON BREVITIES.

Orange county has been assigned the subject of "Bacteria" for discussion at the Southern California Farmers' Clubs' meeting to be held at Pomona in April. C. C. Chapman, Theodore ...aley and A. A. Mills have been appointed a committee to represent the Fullerton-Placentia club at this semi-annual meeting of farmers' clubs.

Sandy Gardiner is taking an advanced course in mining in the Rolla, Mo., college.

G. G. Bayha of Los Angeles, who own a large vineyard and olive orchard at Yorba, has installed an olive oil mill. It is operated by a gasoline engine, and turns out 100 gallons of pure olive oil daily. Two hundred gallons of oil was the output Friday and Saturday. It sells for $2 a gallon.

C. W. Overton decided a few days ago to have the bees removed from the residence he recently purchased from Mrs. P. Pfeninger. A Pomona bee man offered to do the job if given the bees and honey, to which Mr. Overton readily consented, but he was surprised when he saw 1015 pounds of good honey and fourteen swarms of bees removed from the roof. The honey is worth 5 cents a pound.

WESTMINSTER.

HOWARD FLOWERS DEAD.

WESTMINSTER, Feb. 5.—Howard Flowers died Saturday morning at the home of his parents of typhoid pneumonia. The funeral services were under the auspices of the Fraternal Brotherhood. Rev. Mr. Pike, a former pastor of the Presbyterian Church, preached the sermon. Interment at Santa Ana.

S. J. Murdock, an old resident, has moved to Los Angeles. J. B. Wilson will return to Westminster and occupy the place vacated by Mr. Murdock.

The residence occupied by Rev. Mr. Millar, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, has been sold, and the members of the church are contemplating building a parsonage.

Riverside and San Bernardino Counties.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

...KS OF RIVERSIDE ENTERTAIN LAVISHLY.

FIRST BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY OF LODGE CELEBRATED.

Elaborate Decorations, Stirring Speeches, Mock Installation, Music, Dancing, Cards and Supper Make Up the Event—Woman's Club to Incorporate.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 5.—Riverside Lodge, No. 643, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, entertained on a lavish scale at the Odd Fellows' building ... evening in honor of the first birthday anniversary of the lodge. Through the courtesy of several other fraternal organizations, the entire second and third floors of the building were at the disposal of the lodge. The decorations in the lodge room, the dancing hall, the banquet room and in the hallways were elaborate and beautiful, a wealth of palms, growing plants, smilax and other greenery being arranged with rare artistic effect.

The royal purple and white elks' heads were much in evidence. Music was rendered by a Los Angeles orchestra, and supper was served throughout the evening. Exalted Ruler H. T. Hays made the welcome address, which, with a mock initiation and stirring speeches by Rev. M. C. Dotten and Capt. M. J. Daniels, combined to make the early part of the evening especially pleasant. Dancing and cards were indulged in later. The committee in charge consisted of M. J. Twogood, F. T. Morrison, F. D. Lewis, S. D. Pelton and W. R. Dowler.

RIVERSIDE BREVITIES.

At a general assembly of the Woman's Club held yesterday afternoon at Odd Fellows Hall, it was decided that the club incorporate for building purposes, the requisite number of shares for the proposed new club building having been subscribed.

Officers of Riverside Temple, No. 12, Rathbone Sisters, were installed last evening by District Deputy Juliet Stibbens.

Frank Hagerman has purchased an old ten-acre navel and Valencia orange grove on the east side of town from Messrs. Gamble, Burleigh and McIntyre. The purchase price approximated $10,000.

Mrs. E. F. Meredith of San Bernardino is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. O. Allen.

Mrs. ... Leithead and Mrs. Robert Leithead of Pasadena and Mrs. N. S. Leithead of Seattle were among the guests at the Elks ball last night.

SAN BERNARDINO.

LIGHTING RATES FIXED.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 5.—Some weeks ago the City Trustees passed an ordinance providing that, beginning the first of next month, the rates charged for electric lights within the corporate limits shall be fixed and regulated by the Trustees, instead of the supplying company, or companies. Last night had been fixed by the board ... the time for taking up the rates for ... year. When President Han... if there was any representa... of the San Bernardino Electric ...pany present, prepared to furnish ... information that would as... fixing rates allowing an in... of more than 6 per cent. to the company on its investment, no one responded, although there was a repre...tative on hand to see what was do... The ordinance, as prepared by ... Attorney, was then read and ... for lights agreed upon. The ... adopted by the board makes ... in the price for incandes... ranging from 30 to 50 ... The rate for arc lights is ...50 a month, what the city ... paying, and no more may be ... for commercial arcs. The ...mpany insists that the City ... are not vested with legal ... to fix the rates for lighting, ... the new ordinance, if effective, ... first ... diminish the com...ican, $155 ... its local lighting ... probably not be settled until it reaches the Supreme Court. The board will meet next Monday evening, when the ordinance will be further considered.

M'KINLEY MONUMENT FUND.

In response to a letter from the National McKinley Memorial Association, the Supervisors have appointed the following representatives throughout the county to assist in raising funds for a monument to be erected at Canton, O., in honor of the late President:

Manvel—William Miller, W. F. Blake and Thomas Brawn.

Needles—J. W. Burke, F. M. Kelly and Dr. J. P. Booth.

Barstow—Joseph Gooding, A. H. Stagg and L. C. Currier.

Daggett—E. T. Killis, J. F. Duane and H. Wooley.

North Ontario—J. P. Hayden, J. L. Paul and B. A. Woodford.

Highland—A. A. True, L. A. Desmond and C. L. Frazier.

Del Rosa—M. C. Snow, W. J. Carpenter and H. L. McLain.

Chino—Edwin Rhodes, Leon Wedenburg and W. W. Davis.

Bloomington—W. E. Clark, W. H. H. Easton and J. S. Wheeler.

Rialto—S. Wood, J. R. McKinley and G. B. Oliver.

Craftonville—C. C. Morse, C. R. Paine and W. J. Tench.

SAN BERNARDINO BREVITIES.

The Supervisors passed an ordinance yesterday, making it a misdemeanor for a bicyclist to ride past a pedestrian on a sidewalk anywhere in the county and outside of the incorporated limits of any municipality.

A franchise for an electric street-car line on Colton avenue, from Mill street south to Colton, was sold yesterday by the Supervisors to the San Bernardino Valley Traction Company, whose bid was $100.

Rudolph R. Rutledge, who is charged with forging the name of A. J. Cram on numerous checks, was yesterday held to answer by Justice Thomas on a forgery charge in the Superior Court. The defendant's attorney offered no evidence, but the chances are the case will be hard-fought in the Superior Court.

John E. Ward yesterday refused an offer of $15,000 for fifty feet frontage on the south side of Third street, east of the Commercial Hotel. The frontage is occupied by three small one-story buildings.

Eleven persons were arrested yesterday for violating the anti-spitting ordinance. One went to jail and the others paid fines of $1 and $2.

The Supervisors yesterday granted the Edison Electric Company a special permit, good for two years, less one day, to build a pole line between San Bernardino and Colton. The company will furnish power to operate the Traction Company's electric road.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Blank of Fort Madison, Iowa, are guests at the home of A. L. Mespelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Doolittle of Los Angeles are gusts of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Draper.

Miss Echo Miller and Miss Anna Cloetia of Los Angeles are visiting Mrs. Al McRae.

M. Levy left today for San Francisco.

ONTARIO.

FAMILY REUNION.

ONTARIO, Feb. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Horton celebrated their twenty-seventh wedding anniversary and also the seventy-sixth birthday of Mrs. Horton's father, C. R. Morse, and the seventy-fourth birthday of her mother, Mrs. H. A. Morse, yesterday, by a reunion of the family and old friends at their home on West B street. Fifteen sat at the dinner table. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. B. Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. James Bradford, Mr. and Mrs. Hakes of Williamsburg, Iowa; Mrs. Alma Clark, Henry Denslow, Mrs. Eliza Powers, Mrs. Ella Brown and Miss J. A. Morsey. Six of these were old people, whose ages ranged from seventy-three to eighty-six years, making an average age of seventy-seven years and ten months.

REDLANDS.

NEWS BREVITIES.

REDLANDS, Feb. 5.—U. L. Dike, W. R. Heacock and E. S. Libby have been elected directors of the Y.M.C.A. for three years, and John L. Speares and W. B. Green for two years. The association is in good condition, and has 210 members enrolled, excluding seventeen in the junior department.

Miss Murray was knocked off her bicycle and bruised last evening by a collision with a team driven by Ben Arthur. The driver did not even stop to inquire as to her condition, or apologize, but drove rapidly away.

The funeral of S. B. O'Kelley, who died on Monday at Winslow, Ariz., was held this afternoon at the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Revs. M. B. Sharbraugh and R. L. Bruce officiating. Interment was made in Hillside Cemetery.

The Board of Supervisors yesterday passed an ordinance making it unlawful for any person riding a bicycle on sidewalks outside of corporate limits to pass any one on the walk while mounted, imposing a fine of $10 and ten days' imprisonment for violation. This law takes effect the 20th inst.

The body of Miss S. Rosella Kelly, who died at Whittier on Tuesday, was brought here this morning for burial. She was formerly a teacher at the Mentone-Crafton school. Rev. George Roberts officiated at the grave in Hillside Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Crouse, who have been here several weeks, went to Los Angeles yesterday.

Miss M. Gile and Miss McCeue of Kingston, Can., are registered at the Casa Loma.

A. H. Jandus and wife of Chicago are here for a short visit.

N. W. Harris, a well-known eastern banker, and his wife and daughter are here for the winter, staying at the Casa Loma.

This afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Suess on Fourth street, Miss Rosa Suess and Arthur G. Frame were married. They are well known here and have many friends.

Rev. H. W. Knickerbocker of Los Angeles has been engaged by the members of the Unitarian Church to conduct services for them here. The first service will be held next Sunday evening.

H. Kendall of Brookings, S. D., arrived yesterday to spend the winter.

HOLD-UPS NOT "IN IT."

Ontario "Suckers" Donate to Smooth Crook With Gun.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ONTARIO, Feb. 5.—The cleverest "grafter" that ever came to town has gone and left a lot of people here feeling "cheap" in more ways than one. He worked an old, old racket, but found easy "suckers," and doubtless his blessing will long rest upon Ontario.

He is a stranger and arrived Saturday afternoon, announcing that he would give a free show that evening in A. O. U. W. Hall. The place was filled with young men, including some of the would-be sports. Mr Smoothy (no other name known) stepped upon the stage and told his auditors he was going to swindle them; he is truthful, for he kept his word.

Holding up a "gold" watch he asked how much somebody would give, and a young fellow said "ten dollars." The trickster took the money and then handed it and the watch to the bidder. Everybody expected a "snap" of the same sort, and when cigars were offered they jumped to put up $5, and even $10 a box. Smoothy took the money and handed out the "smokes."

Then the "easy marks" looked disappointed, and the stranger announced that he would appear again last night, with household goods to sell, and bade all a pleasant "good night." This didn't look just right and those who had been caught made a rush for the platform and demanded their money back.

The stranger drew a pistol and calmly announced that he would give them two minutes to clear out. They left in a hurry, and he disappeared with $200 that had been generously donated by his victims. They are sorry, and he didn't come last night.

DEATH'S HARVEST AT SANTA BARBARA.

CHIEF OF POLICE MARTIN A VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA.

Three Old Residents Called to Their Long Rest—No Damage by Frost at the Channel City—Distribution of a Large Estate.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 5.—Chief of Police Daniel W. Martin died at his home on Anacapa street, at 1:55 o'clock this morning, from the effects of an attack of pneumonia. A few days ago Mr. Martin was attacked with la grippe, which, at the time, was not thought serious, but it soon developed into alarming conditions, and complications, and in a very few days run its course.

Mr. Martin was a native of Missouri, and was 46 years of age. He came to Santa Barbara about twenty years ago. For several terms he was City Marshal, and when the new charter was adopted, he was appointed Chief of Police, which office he has held ever since. He was connected with a number of fraternal orders, in each of which his standing was good. With his friends he was very popular, and he was liked by all who came to know him, or had business dealings with him. He leaves a widow and six children. Mrs. Martin, at this writing, is also very ill with la grippe.

The funeral will be held on Saturday at Odd Fellows' Hall.

MRS. MARY GREEN.

Mrs. Mary Green died this morning, at the age of 75 years. Mrs. Green had been a resident of Santa Barbara for many years. Her husband, John Green, made the first gas ever made in this city.

N. B. DARRELL.

N. B. Darrell of the San Marcos Hotel, who, in attempting to take a heavy trunk down stairs a few days ago, fell, fracturing a hip and sustaining internal injuries, died Monday morning. Pneumonia set in shortly after the accident, and medical aid was unavailing. Mr. Darrell had been a resident of Santa Barbara for many years. He was born on one of the Bermuda Islands, and was 73 years of age. He leaves a widow and two children, Mrs. Carpenter, proprietress of the San Marcos lodging-house, and John Dugan, Chief of the fire department.

NO DAMAGE BY FROST.

While all parts of Southern California have suffered more or less from the late heavy frosts, Santa Barbara and vicinity escaped any serious results. One of the most severe tests was made in the Montecito Valley, where, at an elevation of 700 feet above ocean level, the most tender vegetation has gone through the season without a blemished leaf or petal.

LARGE ESTATE DISTRIBUTED.

A decree of distribution in an important estate has just been filed with the County Recorder in this county. The decree was issued out of Judge Coffey's court in San Francisco, and affects property situated in twenty counties in this State. The property in question was left by the late Alexander McNee, a capitalist, who died nearly three years ago. McNee, leaving no family, his entire estate goes to two sisters and three nieces. One of the sisters, Helen Shaw Jackson, received $10,000 in cash as her share, the balance being divided equally between Margaret H. Lawrence, Mary H. Jackson, Nella R. Hart and Netta C. McIntosh. The real estate consists chiefly of town lots, and small farming tracts, situated partly in this city and county.

SANTA BARBARA BREVITIES.

The fifth anniversary of the Y.W.C.A. held in the Presbyterian Church last night, was largely attended, and much enthusiasm was aroused for the association by the stirring addresses made. The programme was an excellent one, consisting of music by the Episcopal choir and addresses, chiefly by speakers from abroad. At the business meeting held earlier in the evening, J. F. Diehl, H. Dawe, J. A. Walton, B. B. Williams, J. M. Warren and W. S. Edwards were elected directors for the ensuing year.

Two new voting precincts have been established in the northern portion of the county. One will include territory between Santa Maria and Los Alamos, and will be known as the Caveaga precinct, with polling place in the vicinity of the oil wells. There will be about 150 votes in this precinct. The other will have its center at Betteravia, and will have a total of from 300 to 500 votes. The polling place will be at the sugar factory. The territory will be taken from Santa Maria and Guadalupe precincts.

The Supervisors have appointed viewers to survey the proposed coast drive, and to make estimates of the cost and damages. The viewers will report at the next meeting of the board, in March, when action will be taken as to whether the drive shall or shall not be constructed.

A string of tools weighing over two tons, and 150 feet of cable have fallen into an oil well on the Underhill ranch, near Los Alamos. The well is the property of the Prima Vera Oil Company. The drillers have sent to San Francisco for a slip socket.

The Santa Barbara Lumber Company has sent north an order for 3,000,000 feet of lumber, of which 2,000,000 is for the new hotel, the rest for other projected buildings in this city. Five cargoes are expected to reach port during this month.

As the work of excavating progresses at the Burton Mound, Indian relics are being continually unearthed. At present the collection nearly fills a good-sized room. Some well-preserved bones and skulls have been procured.

The Johnson Fruit Company has on exhibition at the Chamber of Commerce a box each of oranges and lemons that would be prize winners at any fair on the Coast.

C. W. Rowley, a member of the State Board of Pharmacy, has returned from San Francisco, where for several weeks he has been attending a meeting of the board.

Elwell McDonald, an eastern railroad man, is spending a few weeks in Santa Barbara with his family. He is employed by the Vanderbilt system.

The seniors and freshmen of the High School defeated the juniors and sophomores yesterday in a baseball game; score, 16 to 7.

Ensign Stenehoff of Ukiah arrived here last night and will assume command of the local Salvation Army barracks.

Malone Joyce, traveling passenger agent for the Colorado Midland, is in Santa Barbara on an official visit.

Mr. Tuzo, mother and sister left yesterday en route to Honolulu. Miss Tuzo and mother are touring the world.

Dr. Montgomery is enjoying a visit from his mother, who has come to California from the East for the winter.

Rev. and Mrs. William Franklin, missionaries from India, are in Santa Barbara for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Morgan and daughter of Montana, are guests at the Arlington.

William Ealand and son Charles have returned from a business trip to Mexico.

Mrs. Laughlin and Miss White of San Francisco are at the Victoria.

M. C. Foster, U.S.A., is at the Arlington, accompanied by his wife.

E. S. and E. W. Cartwright of Boston are in Santa Barbara.

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY.

PIONEER WOMAN KILLED.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Feb. 5.—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth G. Sellers, one of the pioneer women of the county, was held here today. Her death was a very sad one. She was sitting in the parlor of her home reading a book. Charles Priest, who was employed at the Sellers home, was just outside the house cleaning a rifle. The gun was accidentally discharged and the bullet passed through the wall of the house and struck Mrs. Sellers. It entered the brain, causing instant death.

SAN LUIS OBISPO BREVITIES.

At the regular city election in April a proposition will be submitted to the voters to issue $1000 bonds to buy land for a city park. The election will easily be carried by those favoring the park, for already fully three-fourths of the voters of the town have signed a petition favoring the project.

James Martinoni Grand Secretary of the Druids, paid an official visit to Mission Grove of this city tonight and was given a banquet. Visitors were present from the Guadalupe and Cuyucos groves.

A. C. Gibson of this city and Miss Flora M. Brophy of Templeton were married in San Francisco yesterday.

Norman Sandercock has commenced building a residence at Morro and Pismo streets.

H. C. Moore, who embezzled money entrusted to him by the Tribune of this city, was allowed to plead guilty in the Justice Court and was given a light sentence in the County Jail.

Thomas Lauritzen, a bicycle rider, collided with a cart today and was thrown under the cart and run over, sustaining ugly but not serious injuries.

George Knapp, recently a constable in this city, has been arrested in San Francisco on a charge of highway robbery. It is alleged that he held up a man on Turk street.

GIVEN A LOVING CUP.

Patriotic Citizens of Knoxville Take This Method of Appreciating Services of Rear-Admiral Schley.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

KNOXVILLE (Tenn.) Feb. 5.—The principal event of today's programme for the entertainment of Rear-Admiral Schley was a grand parade at 11 o'clock. The procession was reviewed by Rear-Admiral and Mrs. Schley from the Courthouse square, after which a public reception was held by them in the Woman's Building, where thousands of persons shook hands with Rear-Admiral Schley. Tonight the Rear-Admiral was tendered a banquet in the Woman's Building, and President Lockett of the Chamber of Commerce presented him with a handsome gold and silver loving cup on behalf of Knoxville citizens. Simultaneously Mrs. Schley was entertained at dinner in the music-room of the Woman's Building.

READER WANTS COIN.

Sues Haggin for Quarter of Million Dollars Alleged Commission Due Him on Mining Deals.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Athole B. Reader, who announced in October last his marriage to Ella Lawles, head of a Wall-street stenographic concern, has sued James B. Haggin, the millionaire horse-owner and banker, for $252,980. He says he was engaged to negotiate for mines in Peru for Haggin, and that he was to get 10 per cent. of the cost price on such mines, as Haggin agreed to buy. In accordance with the contract, he says, he negotiated with 358 mines, for which the defendant took mining titles and agreed to pay £520,000, or slightly over $2,500,000. Ten per cent. is what Reader wants.

DREADFUL FAMILY TRAGEDY.

WATERLOO (Iowa) Feb. 5.—Mrs. Ed Kushner and two children were burned to death in their home last night in a fire caused by the overturning of a lamp. One other child was fatally burned, and three others seriously injured.

PATRICK TRIAL ADJOURNED.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—The trial of Albert T. Patrick for the murder of William Marsh Rice was adjourned again today owing to the continued illness of Juror John D. Campbell.

Three hundred unassigned recruits for the United States army left Jersey City yesterday for San Francisco.

STORM BREWING.

Facts That Threaten to Lead to a Very Serious Clash.

Overindulgence in liquor and overtaxed by a long spell of ailments are the causes that bring many a man to a state where he needs confidence to make him oevr, and to remove all the causes that are dragging him down. "Cupidene" cleanses as no other cleanser does. It revives the vitality that has been depressed by careless habits. It braces and restores a shattered constitution to healthy and vigorous manhood. Price $1 per box, or six boxes for $5, at Off & Vaughn Drug Company, Fourth and Spring streets, Los Angeles, Cal.

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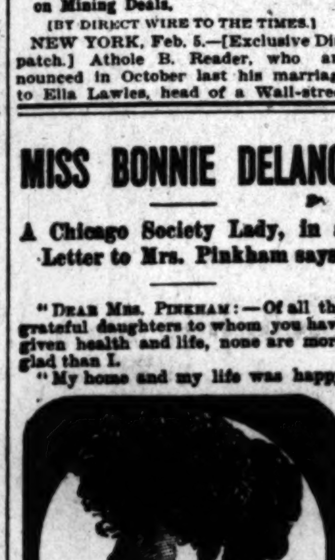

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Eczema is caused by an acid humor in the blood coming in contact with the skin and producing great redness and inflammation; little pustular eruptions form and discharge a thin, sticky fluid, which dries and scales off; sometimes the skin is hard, dry and fissured. Eczema in any form is a tormenting, stubborn disease, and the itching and burning at times are almost unbearable; the acid burning humor seems to ooze out and set the skin on fire. Salves, washes nor other external applications do any real good, for as long as the poison remains in the blood it will keep the skin irritated.

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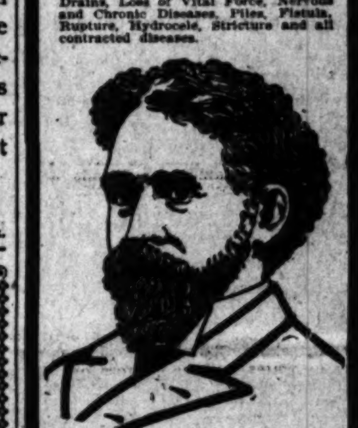

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Instead of apologizing for his conduct, the young man poured forth a torrent of abuse and ordered the rancher off his place. The case will probably be ventilated in the court.

LA VERNE BREVITIES.

Mrs. Daniel Wilson of San Francisco is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. F. Owen, at La Verne.

The orange growers of La Verne find that their crops of oranges this year are only about 40 per cent. as large as last year, but of much better quality.

BIG LAND AND WATER PROPERTY SOLD.

EDGEMONT COMPANY BUYS OUT EAST WHITTIER.

Extensive Plant and Probably One of Most Complete in Country Transferred, but Price not Stated—Board of Trade Elects Officers.

WHITTIER, Feb. 5.—The East Whittier Land and Water Company has sold practically all of its East Whittier property to the Edgemont Water Company. The transfer includes the East Whittier Company's land, wells and pumping plant at El Monte, the big ditch, over thirteen miles long, the distributing system, and the unsold land in the original tract, amounting to about 140 acres.

The ditch has a capacity of between 800 and 1000 inches, and the nineteen wells at El Monte will supply more than that much water. One hundred and fifty inches in shares are owned by parties possessing land under the ditch, and it has been the custom to sell large quantities of water by the run to persons who did not own water. The requirements on the ditch have been less than 200 inches. It is the intention of the new company to sell 250 inches of water, in addition to that now owned by subscribers, and arrangements have been made with the real estate firm of Isbell & Gregg to dispose of this stock at $350 an inch. Negotiations are also in progress with the land owners in the La Habra Valley for the delivery of 200 inches of water in this hitherto dry section. To do this it will be necessary to put in several miles of pipe line, and an additional pumping plant. This will open a large tract, in a practically frostless belt, and possessing a soil that has been proven to be right for citrus fruits and walnuts.

Nothing definite regarding the price can be learned. The East Whittier Land and Water Company was organized in 1899, with Simon J. Murphy, the Detroit millionaire lumber dealer, as president. The system was completed in 1892, with a pumping plant with a capacity of 1,500,000 gallons. Since then additions have been made, and the system today is probably one of the most complete in the country.

The winter home of Mr. Murphy is not included in the transfer, nor is any of the property of the Murphy Oil Company.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The directors of the Whittier Board of Trade last evening elected C. E. Cook secretary, and appointed a special committee consisting of O. M. Souden and Isaac Collins to investigate the possibilities of securing telephone connections with La Habra Valley. The standing committees are: Manufacturing, Lewis Landreth, W. A. Vernon, J. T. Kirkwood, M. M. See, T. B. Moorhead, Paul Dahlitz; Railroads and Transportation, A. C. Johnson, C. W. Clayton, M. T. Owens, F. G. Stone, J. H. Gwin, Jr.; Education and Publication, Isaac Collins, H. D. Williams, W. V. Coffin, D. H. White, L. D. Johnson; Public Meetings, Al H. Dunlap, W. A. Smith, T. N. Powell, J. C. Hiatt, Cyrus Baldwin; Receptions, J. P. Armstrong, J. A. Hockett, J. N. Hurst, Thomas McE. Brady, W. H. Crook, A. C. Mapes; Advertising and Fairs, A. C. Mapes, S. W. Barton, G. L. Hazzard, L. M. Baldwin, Clayton J. Kinsley; Health and Sanitation, O. M. Souden, L. D. Hockett, F. H. Hadley, W. S. Fawcett, W. L. Stafford; Streets and Parks, J. H. Linkletter, J. W. Davis, George E. Little, E. W. Reider, A. Jacobs; Auditing and Accounts, A. L. Reed, Alva Starbuck, Eli Vestal, V. A. Reynolds, A. H. Cheney; Membership, E. S. Chase, R. Pohlman, B. E. Hazzard, J. E. Davis, H. H. Hopper. Next Tuesday evening, advertising will be made a special order by the directorate.

WHITTIER BREVITIES.

The remains of Miss Rosella Kelly, who died Tuesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Griffin on Painter avenue, were taken today to Redlands, where the funeral services were held. Miss Kelly was assistant teacher in the Evergreen school, and was filling her second year in that capacity. The cause of death was typhoid fever. She had been ill about three weeks.

J. T. Kirkwood, C. O. Kelser and A. C. Maple have returned from a trip to Sespe Cañon, where they went to inspect an oil proposition.

C. J. Proud has gone to Ensenada, Lower California, where he will meet a partner and make a prospecting trip across the peninsula.

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LONG BEACH.

GROCERS ORGANIZE.

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Rev. Gjermund Hoyme, president of the United Norwegian Lutheran Church of America, and one of the most learned of the Scandinavians in this country, is critically ill at his home in Eau Claire.

A plea for the restoration of the pneumatic tube service for the transmission of mails, has been made by the directors of the Merchants' Association. It was resolved that Congress should be asked to take proper steps to provide this service in New York and other cities.

BETWEEN TWO FIRES AT SANTA MONICA.

UNPLEASANT PROSPECT BEFORE BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

To Canvass or not to Canvass Reorganization Vote the Question, for Either May Mean Contempt of Court in Los Angeles Tomorrow.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 5.—The City Trustees are contemplating the cheerful prospect of being in contempt of court if they do not canvass the vote of the late reorganization election, and also of being in contempt if they do canvass that vote.

The members of the board have been ordered to appear in the Superior Court in Los Angeles before Judge Conrey, Friday, to show cause why they should not be enjoined from the canvass. Under an order which has been issued by Judge York of the Superior Court, they are commanded to canvass the returns, or appear before him Friday, and show why they have not done so.

The suit to prevent the canvass was brought by H. X. Goetz, as a citizen. The suit to compel the canvass was brought by the Good Government League. The office of City Attorney is vacant, and the board has appointed the law firm of Bicknell & Trask of Los Angeles to act as its representative in both suits. The Good Government League has employed J. W. McKinley, Esq., of Los Angeles, and Tanner & Taft of this city to prosecute its suit.

Among citizens generally there is expressed a hope that the cases will be settled speedily. It is believed that long-drawn-out litigation would be very bad for the town. If the city remains in the sixth class, then the two Trustees to be elected in April to fill the places now occupied by President Robert F. Jones and N. R. Folsom, will have four years to serve, and the other city officers then elected, will have two years to serve. If the city is reorganized, as proposed, then the officers elected in April will serve only for one year, at the end of which period the reorganization will go into effect.

The Good Government League has a man employed taking a copy of the census list recently adopted by the City Trustees. The copy will be compared with the unofficial enumeration taken under direction of the league.

SANTA MONICA BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Weir of Champaign, Ill.; H. L. Johnston of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hoffus of Sharpsville, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Barker of Denver, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Asa P. Bliss of Los Angeles are staying at Hotel Holborow, Ocean Park.

W. H. Langan of Des Moines, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. R. Berens of Kent, Eng.; Mr. and Mrs. Anna F. Barnes of New Haven, Ct.; Mrs. A. J. Mitchell of Denver, Colo., and Mrs. J. R. Dudley and child of Golden, Colo., are staying at the Arcadia.

The material is being delivered at Ocean Park for the repairs which are to be made on the pleasure wharf. Sixty piles are to be driven. Actual work is to commence in about a fortnight. J. D. Mercereau is the contractor.

The Klaus Lady Orchestra, composed of Misses Pauline, Gertrude and Jeanette Klaus and Miss Gibson, arrived at the Arcadia today, and will be at that hostelry during the season.

H. Hirschel-Cohen and family of Victoria, B. C., have taken the Kimball cottage on Ocean avenue for the season.

A. Keating's house, at Eighth street and Arizona avenue, was burned Tuesday noon.

POMONA.

FREE LIBRARY BOOMING.

POMONA, Feb. 5.—The work of the public library for the first month since its opening as a free institution, in charge of Miss M. E. Prentiss and her assistants, Miss M. E. Topliff and Mrs. L. P. Minier, has been most gratifying. The board of library trustees met yesterday afternoon, and the reports submitted showed 754 membership registrations since January 1, and a home circulation of 3220 books, and reading-room circulation of 1454 books, making a total circulation of 4674 volumes for the past month. The home circulation in January, 1901, was only 1316. The daily average for January, 1902, was 123.8, as against 50.6 of January, 1901. There are now 6595 volumes in the library.

POMONA BREVITIES.

The Pomona Valley Teachers' Association will meet at the Central school building on Saturday, at 10 a.m.

Once or twice a year the good housewife has a thorough house cleaning. The house has been swept and dusted every day in the year, but the housewife knows that in spite of vigilance dust accumulates in cracks and corners, and is only to be removed by special effort.

It's the same way with the body. You look after it every day. You take all the ordinary precautions of cleanliness and health. Yet the body needs its special cleaning to rid it of the accumulations of waste and poisonous matter which invite disease. Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, taken regularly once or twice a year, would save many a sickness. It purifies the blood, strengthens the stomach, and cleanses the body of poisonous accumulations.

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Boys' Suits And Other Things.

The new boys' department is much larger, much more convenient and less public than the old department. We have taken all the offices from the second floor and removed them to the fourth floor. This leaves a large extra space for the boys' department which has been refitted and refurnished for the accommodation of our patrons. It is the largest boys' department in the Southwest. It includes everything that boys wear except shoes, which are found in the shoe department. The yearly clean up sale offers many price inducements. Only a few of them are chronicled here, but you may rest assured that you will find scores of special tickets displayed on various sorts of boys' wares.

Boys' Suits—Made in middy style with fancy roll lapels in royal blue or red braided with soutache braid. Materials are neat pin checks or overshot plaids. Closed vests or single and double breasted fronts; ages 3 to 8 years, worth $2 and $2.50. Sale price..... **$1.00**

Boys' Suits—Made of all wool cheviots, worsteds and cassimeres; middy style with closed or open front vests. Pretty light and dark colorings; ages 3 to 8 years. $3.50, $4 values on sale at..... **$1.98**

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SECOND FLOOR.

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Second Floor.

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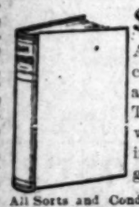

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Nibholas Nickelby—Charles Dickens
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50 pieces of fine chiffons and mousseline de soie 42 inches wide. Qualities sold regularly at 50c and 75c; black, white and all the leading colors, on sale at 29c.

All Wool Art Carpets $3.98.

These carpets are 9x9 feet and woven in one piece. Nicely finished with an 18-in. border and fringe. Strictly all wool. There is a good assortment of designs and attractive colorings to choose from. $6.50 values offered Thursday at $3.98.

FOURTH FLOOR.

Silk Slumber Robes 79c.

200 beautiful robes made of raw silk in rich Roman stripes. Alike on both sides. 60 in. wide by 80 in. long. Reduced from $1.50. On sale while they last 79c each.

FOURTH FLOOR.

Metal Covered Trunks $3.85.

Embossed metal covered trunks with sheet iron bottom. Fitted with reversed strips on top, solid iron clamps, strap hinges, hasp lock with flat key, side bolts, set-up tray with hat box. Convenient, strong and durable. 32 inch size at $3.85, 34 inch size, same as above, at $4.45.

THIRD FLOOR.

Glassware Specials.

The yearly clean-up sale has brought to light scores of casks of glassware which must be closed out to make room for new goods which are ordered. Styles in glassware change so seldom that the new goods which are soon to arrive are no better, no more desirable than those we are closing out.

Tumblers—That sell regularly at 8⅓c each; 10 different styles and designs; cut price..... **6c**

Tumblers—Made of plain blown, engraved and pressed glass; sold regularly at 7½c; cut to..... **5c**

Tumblers—Made of thin blown glass; regular price 65c per dozen; sale price..... **40c**

Beer Tumblers—In bell shape; thin and fine; cut from 65c per doz. to..... **45c**

Table Set—Consisting of 4 pieces in fancy pressed glass; sugar, creamer and covered butter; regular 45c sets for..... **29c**

Berry Bowl—In pressed glass; 8-inch size; a new style; cheap at 30c; sale price..... **19c**

Berry Set—Consisting of pressed glass berry bowl and 6 berry dishes to match; a pretty pattern; regular 45c sets for **29c**

Berry Set—Consisting of an 8-inch plain berry bowl and 6 berry dishes to match; fine sets worth 70c, cut to..... **49c**

Odd Pieces—Of pressed glass which sell at from from 25c to 35c each; creamers, spooners, covered butters, celery glasses, celery trays, etc.; on sale at..... **19c**

Third Floor.

Liners.

FOR SALE— Hotels, Lodging-houses.

TO LET—FURNISHED, 13 ROOMS, ELEgantly furnished with large grounds and barn, close in; run as a boarding and rooming house; you only have to buy part of the furnishings, as the balance is rented with the house; this can be had by an investment of only $700. MRS. HEALD, room 327 Byrne Blk., corner Third and Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—48 ROOMS IN CENTRAL LOcation, well furnished and full summer and winter; rent $70; clears over $150 month above all expenses. Price $2100. CALIFORNIA BUSINESS EXCHANGE, 432 Stimson Bldg. 6

FOR SALE—25-ROOM FURNISHED HOTEL with bar for lease; dining-room is subrented; also 40 rooms and bar. Two hotel restaurants for sale. J. R. RICHARDS HOTEL BROKERS CO., 247 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—AT A BARGAIN; BEST HOTEL in one of the best towns in the South; fine condition, furnished. Address OWNER, 633 WESTLAKE AVE., Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—$1900; 34 ROOMS, RENT $80; choice location, 5 years' lease; 20 rooms, rent $35, Spring $1000. WUERZ & KETCHAM, 224½ S. Spring. 6

FOR SALE—7 ROOMS, CLOSE IN, $400; rent $30, 12 rooms, $700, rent $35. These are snaps; many others. RIGBY, 218 Broadway, room 414. 6

FOR SALE—MY 26-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE all full and always fully; $3450. Address X, box 67, TIMES OFFICE. 6

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FOR SALE— Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—RELIABLE PIANOS, ORGANS. Steinway & Sons, Kranich & Bach, Mason & Hamlin, Emerson, Sterling and Richmond pianos. Mason & Hamlin and Estey organs. Symphony self-playing organs. Cecilian self-playing piano attachment. GEORGE J. BIRKEL CO., Los Angeles, 345-7 S. Spring. San Diego, 1050-56 Fourth.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL UPRIGHT PIANO; standard action; genuine mahogany case; with patent practice level; real ivory keys; 3 strings to each tone; full size; double truss; dust-proof hinges; hard wood frame; used less than 4 months; will take payments of $5 per month. 314 S. HILL. 9

FOR SALE— Fine furniture, new and misfit carpets, ... all bargains. COLGAN'S, 316-318 S. Main.

FOR SALE—CHICKERING PIANO, GRAND ... instrument; just the thing for beginners, only $65; no interest; will take it ... time within 2 years on new piano ... price paid. LONG, 314 S. HILL. 6

FOR SALE—NEW ROYAL SEWING MAchine; excellent condition; bargain for ...; take part payment in table ... Address Y, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 6

FOR SALE—A LADY'S THREE-QUARTER ... silk-lined, tan automobile coat; cost ... reason for selling cheap going into mourning. Address PHONE BLACK 4038. 6

FOR SALE—ELEGANT NEW FURNITURE ... 7-room flat; all complete; private home; ... leaving city. 244½ S. GRAND AVE. Phone 3451 Red. 6

FOR SALE—HOT FIRES, 5c, STOVE OR ... grates; asbestos, kerosene, bricks, iron bound; ... biscuits quick; price $1. 550 SOUTH SPRING. 5

FOR SALE—HORSE, BUGGY AND HARness at a bargain. Inquire at SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MUSIC CO., 216-218 W. 3rd st. 7

FOR SALE—WEBER PIANO, PARLOR grand and lot, Pico Heights, worth $800; both for $550 today. 175 N. SPRING, room ... 6

FOR SALE—CHEAP, SHOWCASES, COUNters, shelving, doors and windows. We buy and sell. Ring up James 4121. 218 E. Fourth. 6

FOR SALE—TYPEWRITERS, ALL KINDS, bought and sold, rented and exchanged. TYPEWRITER EXCHANGE, Wilcox Bldg. 6

FOR SALE—LARGE OAK OFFICE DESK, flat top, as good as new; price reasonable. 110½ N. Spring, R. A. HEFFNER. 6

FOR SALE — OR TRADE; AUTOMOBILE. ... HOWARD, 527 Douglas Bldg. Office hours 10 to 12. Phone James 5091.

FOR SALE—FINE NEW UP-TO-DATE SODA fountain with an electric carbonator at a bargain. TALLY, 262 S. Main st. 6

FOR SALE—LARGE QUICK MEAL GASoline stove, good condition; bargain. Address OWNER, 638 Westlake Ave. 6

FOR SALE — CARLOAD BARNES WHITE ... bicycles, for $27.50. Bargains. ... BROS., 438 S. Spring. 8

FOR SALE—GAS RANGE, NEARLY NEW, ... furniture, cheap. No. 219 N. ... ST., Boyle Heights. 6

FOR SALE—CANOPY-TOP 3-SEAT SURREY, ... new; just the thing for livery stable. ... 325 E. FIRST ST. 7

FOR SALE—SET OF LOW TRUCK WHEELS, ... twenty tons. L. A. CARRIAGE ... 301 E. Third. 6

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND WATER PIPE, ... bought and sold. LIVINGSTON, ... Los Angeles st. 6

FOR SALE—I HAVE TWO-SEATED CARriage for sale cheap. Apply N., 141 WEST ... ST. 6

FOR SALE — AUTOMOBILE, ELECTRIC ... cheap. Address X, box 72, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—SOME FINE SECOND-HAND furniture and roll-top desk. 506 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—A GOOD ANITA BICYCLE, ... in good repair. Apply 234 W. SECOND. 6

FOR SALE—CHEAP; A CANOPY-TOP SURrey in good order. 870 ORTEGA ST., Vernon. 6

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—

A. G. SCHLOESSER.

Will swap clear lot 80x125, and house ... for $35, for $6000 residence in Westlake district, and pay cash or assume. A. G. SCHLOESSER, 228-260 Wilcox. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—$7500; READER, A NICE home place of 20 acres, walnut grove interset with peaches 4 years old, is offered at ..., one of the finest valleys in California, 15 miles from Los Angeles, with pumping plant, fine 6-room up-to-date cottage, large barn, 2 fine horses, carriage, cow, fowls, all ranch machinery; take ... Los Angeles. BOURN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas bldg. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—$2500 EQUITY, FORTY-acre fruit farm; Burbank; well improved; ... house and barn. Mortgage $3000.

FOR EXCHANGE—Fine fruit farm near Glendora; 10 acres oranges, 10 acres lemons; balance deciduous fruit; plenty water and a fine paying ranch. RALPH T. VINING, 307 W. ... st. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—$3000; 6-ROOM MODERN ... Washington, D. C., want small fruit ... $2500—22-acre fruit and alfalfa ranch, ...; want Los Angeles cottage or eastern farm. BARBOUR, M'DERMOTT & ..., 213 S. Broadway. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—$3000; MORTGAGE $1250; ... 40 acres, house, barn, good well; ... irrigate 20 acres fine alfalfa or general ... ranch; want Kansas farm or thereabouts. BOURN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 DOUGLAS BLOCK. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—I MAKE A SPECIALTY of exchanging California properties for eastern, and have a large list of both to select from. C. W. CONWAY, Room 311, Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—40 ACRES IMPROVED at Santa Ana, clear, for 5 or 6-room cottage close in; would if necessary put in cash. HOVIS & MARTIN, 136 South Broadway. 6

FOR EXCHANGE — $3100; AT COVINA, ... acres, 6 acres lemons and other ..., no buildings; will trade for Los Angeles. BOURN & CHAMBERLIN, 440 Douglas Block. 6

FOR EXCHANGE OR SALE—EQUITY IN ... cottage near Grand and 25th. Will exchange for Los Angeles or beach property ... business. Address 759 E. 25TH. 6

FOR EXCHANGE — OR SALE; 3-STORY ... block; lot 46x171, San Fernando to New High sts., suitable for storage or factory. TAYLOR, 105 Broadway. 6

FOR EXCHANGE—ELEGANT MODERN 10-room house, southwest, for cottage and cash ... lots and cash. H. C. HAYES, 217 ... Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—$15,000 CHICAGO IMprovement; ... $960 year; want Los Angeles; ... trade. R. D. LIST, 221 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—COSY HOMES FOR DA... lands; here's your opportunity. ..., 69 Bryson bldg. 7

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE & LAWLOR ... your property. Apply 35 BRYSON BLOCK, Second and Spring.

FOR EXCHANGE — 9-ROOM MODERN ..., for alfalfa ranch. SNOVER ..., 215 W. First. 6

FOR EXCHANGE — 10 ACRES AT LONG Beach; what have you? HOVIS & MARTIN, 136 South Broadway. 6

BUSINESS CHANCES— Miscellaneous.

TO LET—

HAVING DECIDED TO ADD A RENTAL DEPARTMENT TO OUR BUSINESS,

WE SOLICIT ALL OWNERS TO LIST THEIR FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED HOUSES.

BEST ATTENTION GIVEN TO ALL PROPERTIES ON LONG OR SHORT LEASES.

OUR LOCATION IS CENTRAL.

6 C. P. DEYOE, 201 LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE — ON ACCOUNT OF OLD AGE and wishing to retire from business, the Sebastopol Brewery, in San Luis Obispo, including all real estate and equipments; established 25 years; doing a good-paying business. Owner will assist purchaser until fully acquainted with the custom and trade. This is one of those rare chances for two good men to become possessed of an old-established, reliable and good-paying business, which will stand the most rigid investigation. Apply for further particulars to M. LEWIN, or the owners, WIEGAND & KELLER, Sebastopol Brewery, San Luis Obispo, Cal.

HAVE A WEEKLY INCOME? WE HAVE made our systems a study for over 15 years and have brought them based on mathematical lines to a legitimate business. We are giving satisfaction to patrons in every State in the Union. Can do same for you. Place $5, $10 or $20 with us and be convinced. Remember, it is no mining or gambling device, but strictly a legitimate business. Accounts operated by a method which gives security to patrons at a distance. Write or call for particulars. A. T. A., room 440, STOWELL BLDG., L. A. 6

INVESTIGATE THIS—

RESTAURANT AND CAFE FOR SALE

at a bargain if taken at once. This is the prettiest and best-equipped place in the city and is in an A1 location. The best of reasons for selling. Address X, box 99, TIMES OFFICE. 6

AN OPPORTUNITY — A BLOCK OF 50,000 shares of gold-mining stock at 4c a share in a company having an unlimited amount of ore averaging over $8 to the ton. This block can be divided. With the work now arranged to be done on this property, this stock will be worth from 25c to 40c a share within 3 months. There are good reasons for making this sale, and full particulars will be given to any one applying in good faith. Address W., box 74, TIMES OFFICE. 8

FOR SALE—A FINE 20-TON SCHOONER yacht, fully equipped and fitted as a pleasure boat; suitable for bay and ocean voyages, being very staunch; is in sound condition, berth capacity 10 passengers and 2 crew, has a large roomy cabin with cushioned lounges that will accommodate 4 more passengers. Fully supplied with all the requisites for comfort. For further particulars and price address P.O. BOX 69, Suisun City, Solano county, Cal. 7

NOTICE TO FLOUR-MILL MEN—
The Hemet Flour Mill, at Hemet, Riverside county, Cal., is offered for sale. A brick mill, 50 barrels per day capacity, in running order, with up-to-date machinery and appliances; situated in the midst of a wheat-growing section; only flour mill in Riverside county; ample warehouse room; boilers arranged for coal or oil firing. Favorable terms will be made to the right purchaser. Address BANK OF HEMET, Hemet, Cal.

FOR SALE—OR WILL LEASE TO RESPONsible parties, the best-paying manufacturing and custom carriage shop in Southern California; a good, live business; hustler can clear $4000 per year net; would require $4000 cash capital to carry materials and do business on; owner retiring. Address P.O. BOX 738, Los Angeles.

PHOTO STUDIO FOR SALE—
Best-equipped in Northern California; large rooms; rent low; modern lenses (single giant light large); county seat; no other studio in town; reason for selling, other business; will be sold soon. For particulars, address J. B. JAMES, Martinez, Cal. 7

FEED AND FUEL BUSINESS, BIG CASH trade, very cheap rent; sell at invoice, about $1500; grocery right in town; all cash trade, clears over $150 per month, $1200; cigars and soft drinks, rent only $4 per month, nice trade, only $250. If you want to buy, sell or trade see us. DAVIE & NORCROSS, 110 S. Broadway.

$1000 FOR A $2000 RESTAURANT; OPEN for investigation; close in.
$2000 for swellest restaurant in city.
$250—A neat, nice restaurant, for a lady who wants to earn her own living, on Hill near Fourth. DAVIS & CO., 6 440 S. Spring st.

$5 TO $2500 INVESTED PAYS AT LEAST 400 per cent. yearly profit. The Solar Furnace develops heat and power from the sun to run machinery, heat and light the house and cook all kinds of food, either day or night, without fire or fuel. Small crude model on exhibition, 10 to 2 daily, at 410 E. FIFTH ST. 6

COMPANIES INCORPORATED, PROMOTED, guaranteed and financed; stock taken in payment for services; good propositions wanted; gold bonds furnished. PACIFIC STATES MINING AND INVESTMENT CO., 326 Post st., San Francisco. Established 1892. U. S. licensed stock brokers.

FOR SALE—SUBURBAN GROCERY, FUEL and feed store, 1 mile outside the corporation; delightful location; no competition; good trade, large stock; established for years; low rent, 2 years' lease and can be had at a great bargain. E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. Fourth. 9

I WANT TO BUY SOME PROPERTY, AND will give in payment for same an established paying business, located in the center of this city. If your property is worth more than my business, I will pay you the difference in cash. Call or address T. L. TALLY, 262 S. Main st.

SPLENDID CAFE AND DINING PARLORS; select location; 5-year lease at low rental; living-rooms furnished; the very best appointments; all at a sacrifice price, on account of owner's ill health; big, established trade. HOVIS & MARTIN, 136 S. Broadway. 10

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY FOR SOME one to secure a lease on choice Pasadena apartments; furnished and unfurnished rooms. Apply to WM. R. STAATS CO., cor. Raymond ave. and Green st., next to Hotel Green, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE, FOR LOS ANgeles or San Diego property, lumber yard in Oklahoma, a large tract of land in Los Angeles county, in the white oil district. Address PHILIP DUFFY, 920 Fir st., San Diego, Cal. 6

ADMIRABLE DWELLING-HOUSE; LOT 60x185, north side E. Colorado st., Pasadena, near corner Moline ave.; low figures and liberal terms to any one desiring to build. Apply to OWNER, 401 Dodworth Bldg., Pasadena. 8

BY ONE OF THE BEST EASTERN CHEFS, with large experience in the restaurant and hotel business, a silent partner with $10,000 to start one of the best restaurants in Los Angeles. BURROWS & SLOCUM, 538 Byrne Bldg. 10

ONE-ACRE CHICKEN RANCH; GOOD buildings and plenty of water and wood; horse and buggy and good-paying mail route goes with ranch; all for $950, if sold this week. DAVIS & NORCROSS, 110 S. Broadway. 6

FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE; POSTOFfice attachments; fine living rooms, surrounded by 5-acre orange grove, 425 trees, full bearing; all for $2800; ½ cash, balance time. E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. Fourth. 9

FOR SALE—DELICACY STORE AT A GREAT BARGAIN; SURROUNDED BY ROOMING-HOUSES; GOOD LOCATION; DON'T WAIT, BUT SEE E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. FOURTH. 9

$350 BUYS HALF INTEREST IN FINE-paying manufacturing business; monopoly for this district; good returns guaranteed to a capable man. CAL. BUSINESS EXCHANGE, 432 Stimson Block. 6

FOR SALE — RESTAURANT, 22 MILES from Los Angeles, dining-room kitchen complete for business; sell reasonable; French range and bathroom included. Call at 711 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE—$6000; HARDWARE STORE near Los Angeles, new stock, good business, will take residence to $2500 as part. (Sickness.) JOHN E. THOMPSON, 310 Frost Bldg. 6

FOR SALE—GROCERY, FEED AND FUEL store at low invoice, steady cash trade; small rent; reason for selling the best. Address E, box 101, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN GOOD paying bowling alleys, three new and up-to-date alleys, located in good town; good reasons for selling. Answer 826 S. GRAND AVE.

AN INTEREST IN A LIGHT AND PURE gas machine; can be seen in operation in the largest railroad shop in the city. LEONARD-FREEFIELD CO., 221½ S. Spring st. 9

ACCOUNT HEALTH, PROFITABLE BUSIness; coffee parlor, etc.; room for other lines; money for active parties; old stand; rent $10; living-room; fine yard. 518 E. FIFTH. 6

$175—BEST BARGAIN; COFFEE PARLOR, etc.; profitable business; room for other lines; old stand; rent $10; living-room; fine yard; health reason. 518 E. FIFTH ST. 5

FOR SALE—CASH GROCERY, IN EXCELlent neighborhood; would trade for real estate in or outside city, and some cash. E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. Fourth. 9

WANTED—PARTY WHO CAN INVEST $2,500 in a substantial, absolutely safe and very profitable wholesale producing business. Address X, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 9

FOR SALE—BLACKSMITH'S AND WAGONmaker's tools and stock for sale; reasonable, on account of sickness; good dairy business. A. BARZ, Puente, Cal.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE OF A 5-room modern flat, within five minutes' walk of City Hall. This is a bargain. IVETT, 218 S. Broadway, room 335. 6

I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. BROADWAY, WILL sell out your business for cash. 6

BUSINESS CHANCES— Miscellaneous.

WILL SELL BUSINESS, LEASE, WITH OR without stock; 2 rooms; good location; fine business opportunity. Address JOHN B. SLATER, San Diego, Cal. 24

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN AN ESTablished respectable business; very pleasant, very profitable, $3500 required. R. D. LIST, 221 Wilcox Bldg. 9

GOOD CARRIAGE REPAIR AND GENERAL blacksmith shop; cheap for cash, or will exchange for beach business or property. Address 759 E. 25TH ST. 6

BAKERY FOR SALE IN A GOOD COUNtry town; price $300; for a young married baker an excellent chance. Address X, box 63, TIMES OFFICE. 11

$350—NEAT STORE; CASH TRADE; GROceries, candy and bakery; new stock and fixtures; will invoice. Address Y, box 100, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—DELICACY AND BAKERY AT Ocean Park; a bargain for someone. Address Box 57, OCEAN PARK, South Santa Monica. 6

I HAVE FROM $1000 TO $5000 TO INVEST in a paying job printing business; give full particulars. Address Y, box 16, TIMES OFFICE. 6

FOR SALE—$1000; BEST RESTAURANT ON Spring between Third and Fourth; good business. JOHN E. THOMPSON, 310 Frost Bldg. 6

FOR SALE—SMALL BUT COMPLETE DRUG stock, way below wholesale price. Answer quick with offer. EDWARDS, 214 Stimson Blk. 6

ST. GEORGE HOTEL FOR SALE; FIRST-class; fully equipped; investigate. Address GEO. H. AMERIGE, owner, Fullerton, Cal.

POULTRY, BUTTER AND EGG STORE; A fine old business; making money; $400. 6 I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

GROCERY, FEED AND FUEL BUSINESS, with 4 living-rooms, in Pasadena; $650. 6 I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

A GROCERY; PART CASH, PART TRADE; $1500 stock; fresh goods; old, central stand. 6 I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

GREAT DYE WORKS BARGAIN; CLEARS $200 month; not ½ its value; must sell; $1100. 6 I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

FOR SALE — AT A BARGAIN; ESTABlished upholstering, furniture repairing and refinishing business. 656 S. BROADWAY.

LUNCH COUNTER — LOW RENT, LONG lease, fine location; plenty trade; for only $250. HOVIS & MARTIN, 136 S. Broadway. 9

FOR SALE—$1200; GROCERY, GOOD BUSIness, established trade; snap; few days only. JOHN E. THOMPSON, 310 Frost Bldg.

GOOD LOCATION FOR DRUG STORE WITH living-rooms above; modern conveniences, at 500 SAN PEDRO ST. Inquire upstairs. 6

FOR SALE—CANDY STORE, AT A BARgain if taken this week; clearing $125 a month. Call 146 W. FIFTH ST. 6

TONY RESTAURANT, BUSY PART CITY, a little over $1000 will buy it. E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. Fourth. 9

FOR SALE—A RESTAURANT AT PORT Los Angeles, doing good business. Address H. GOETJEN. 7

MEAT MARKET, SOUTHWEST PART OF town; a snap at $750. I. D. BARNARD, 116 S. Broadway.

SPLENDID CHANCE FOR A BAKER; must have $900. E. P. LEAHY & CO., 219 W. Fourth. 9

TO LET— Rooms.

TO LET—SUNNY FRONT ROOM, GOOD neighborhood, bath, phone, piano, electric light; would board parties. 732 WHITTIER ST., between Seventh and Eighth. 7

TO LET—PLEASANT FURNISHED FRONT room in private family; bath and electric lights; breakfast and dinner if desired; use of piano. 740 E. ADAMS ST. 6

TO LET—WILL HAVE TODAY TWO HOUSEkeeping rooms; also cottage of three rooms, furnished, stove, gas, stable, close in. 498 CALIFORNIA ST.

TO LET—DESIRABLE FURNISHED ROOM, or suite of two with bath, convenient to meals, or housekeeping allowed. 1915 ESTRELLA AVE. 6

TO LET—HOTEL WALDO; JUST OPENED; 25 outside sunny rooms, hot and cold water, free baths and phone. Northeast corner 5TH and MAIN. 9

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, close in; quiet street; bath; gas; stationary washbowls; rates reasonable. 224 WINSTON. 6

TO LET—SUITE UNFURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms and two furnished rooms as sleeping rooms only. 308 E. FIFTH ST. 6

TO LET—ELEGANT SUNNY WARM ROOMS, en suite; baths; beautiful home; close in; everything new. 460 S. GRAND AVE. 6

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED SUNNY rooms with or without board. Ladies preferred. 1027 S. FLOWER. 6

TO LET—3 FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED rooms, privilege of light housekeeping. Call 908 W. SECOND ST. 6

TO LET—2 LOVELY SUNNY FRONT ROOMS furnished complete for housekeeping. 323 S. HOPE, near Fourth. 6

TO LET—NEW MODERN FURNISHED OR unfurnished rooms, bath, in family of two. 1140 SANTEE ST. 6

TO LET—REASONABLE, 4 ROOMS, FURnished or unfurnished. No. 315 S. FLOWER ST., upstairs. 6

TO LET—SUNNY HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, private family; no invalids; reasonable rates. 1228 S. OLIVE. 6

TO LET—A SUITE OF 3 BEAUTIFULLY furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1327 S. HILL ST. 6

TO LET—CLOSE IN; THREE UNFURnished rooms. Inquire office PENIEL HALL, 227 S. Main. 6

TO LET—2 UNFURNISHED SUNNY ROOMS for light housekeeping, gas and bath. 835 W. NINTH. 6

TO LET—TWO DESIRABLE FRONT SUNny rooms, furnished with use of bath. 1207 W. NINTH. 6

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS; PRICES moderate. SOMERSET HOUSE, 214 E. Fifth. 6

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS; PARLOR, piano, baths. Hotel Mackenzie, 449 S. Spring.

TO LET—2 OR 3 SUNNY FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, $15. 1461 W. 4TH. 6

TO LET—SUNNY SINGLE ROOMS; TWO FOR housekeeping. ROCHESTER, 1012 Temple. 6

TO LET — NEWLY FURNISHED SUNNY housekeeping rooms. 771 CENTRAL AVE. 6

TO LET — SUITE ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping at 315 N. BROADWAY. 6

TO LET—3 ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSEkeeping. Inquire 124 W. 29TH. 7

TO LET—2 ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSEkeeping at 619 W. NINTH ST. 6

TO LET—IN BEAUTIFUL HOME, SUNNY rooms. 871 FIGUEROA. 7

TO LET— Rooms with Board.

TO LET—PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOMS, sunny and nice; with or without board; reasonable; good barn, rent cheap. 1142 S. LOS ANGELES. 9

TO LET—THE ST. ANGELO, 237 N. GRAND ave.; furnished rooms, single and en suite; excellent table board, day, week or month; reasonable rates. 9

TO LET—PRIVATE FAMILY, 2 HANDSOMEly furnished sunny rooms; first-class table; reasonable; use of telephone; close in; 1348½ S. HOPE. 7

TO LET—ROOMS WITH BREAKFAST AND dinner, close in; suitable for business men; terms reasonable. Address X, box 98, TIMES OFFICE. 7

TO LET — ROOMS AND BOARD; NEWLY and beautifully furnished sunny rooms with board; select patronage desired. 623 W. 11TH ST. 7

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS; modern house; good location; first-class board; private family. 703 W. 18TH ST. 9

TO LET — NICE SUNNY ROOM WITH board; also single room, suitable for young man. CASA BLANCA, 850 Olive. 6

TO LET—IN CREED, LARGE SUNNY rooms with board, beautiful grounds and veranda. 601 S. FIGUEROA. 6

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED SUNNY room with bath, private family; reasonable. 1011 W. EIGHTH ST. 9

TO LET — A NICELY FURNISHED ROOM with board for two; also table board without rooms. 427 S. HILL ST. 6

TO LET—PRIVATE FAMILY, LARGE SUNny rooms, home cooking. Telephone. 1501 S. GRAND AVE. 7

TO LET—PLEASANT ROOMS OVERLOOKing the park; will give board. 626 WESTLAKE AVE. 7

TO LET — PLEASANT, SUNNY ROOMS IN new house, with board; home cooking. 513 W. 12TH. 7

TO LET— Flats.

TO LET—THE NICEST FLATS IN TOWN, 4 and 5 rooms, lots of sun, and everything the very best, $22.50 and $25, with water. BARR REALTY CO., 304 Wilcox Bldg.

TO LET—FLAT 6 ROOMS, ALL MODERN conveniences; good location; elegantly furnished, complete in every detail; furniture for sale. Call 940 S. FLOWER ST. 6

TO LET — ELEGANT MODERN 5-ROOM flat; bargain to those who will buy furniture; rent $20. 727 FIGUEROA.

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TO LET—BEACH COTTAGES, FURNISHED, 2 modern 5-room beauties, at Terminal Island; splendidly located. BARR REALTY CO., 304 Wilcox Block. 8

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TO LET—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED HOUSES AND FLATS.
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The opening session was held Tuesday evening, and after a fifteen minute praise service, Superintendent Case presented "The Object of Sunday-school Work." Then followed an illustrated lecture by Rev. William Horace Day, Junior pastor of the First Church, on "Our Revised Bible."

The second session was held yesterday afternoon, and the first topic was "Teachers' Meetings— a Sample," by Mr. Case. "The Primary Department" was presented by Misses Norton and Lucy Stone. The topic of "Sunday-school Grading and Promotion" was presented through a paper written by L. S. Moore, superintendent of the East Los Angeles school. The afternoon session closed with a blackboard normal lesson, and a "Round Table Conference" on Sunday-school difficulties, new methods, etc.

A song service opened the institute's session last night, and Mrs. K. Lang gave a paper on "Home and Sunday-school." "How to Keep the Boys in the Sunday-school" was the subject presented by Mrs. A. K. Parsons, and "Jesus, the Model Teacher," was the theme of W. H. Klusman. Superintendent Case closed the institute with an address on "Sunday-school Harvesting."

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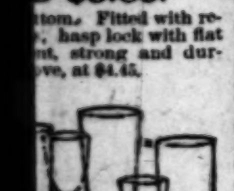

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BUSINESS.

Clearances for Los Angeles banks yesterday amounted to $650,151.44, and for the corresponding day a year ago to $408,178.41.

The water-bond money is on deposit in New York, $1,000,000 to the credit of each of two Los Angeles banks. The distribution to the stockholders will probably be made from the New York banks. When this is done the Los Angeles banks' deposits will each be increased about $800,000.

There are well-founded reports of local sales of the stock of a great local oil company. The amount involved is about $150,000.

Spasmodic efforts by pools continue in New York's stock market without developing continued strength in any particular line. Wheat was dullest it has been in a long time at Chicago.

WATER COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED.

Late yesterday afternoon the Council appointed a Board of Water Commissioners, to have management and control of the city's newly-acquired water system until the election of a new board by the people at the next city election, on the first Monday in December next. The board comprises seven members, the names selected being as follows: James C. Kays; Herman Silver; J. M. Elliott; C. H. Toll; L. A. Grant; Frank W. King; Maj. H. T. Lee. These names were selected by the Council from a list of twenty-one submitted by the Chamber of Commerce. The personnel of the board is a guaranty that the duties committed to that body will be discharged faithfully and with efficiency. The names are those of representative citizens, in whom the entire community will have confidence. The Councilmen are to be commended for the wisdom of their choice of men for the important work which will devolve upon the Board of Water Commissioners.

The Council also adopted an ordinance to govern the management of the waterworks system. Some of its more important provisions are that no person shall be eligible for membership in the Board of Water Commissioners who has not been for at least five years a qualified elector of the city; that members of the board shall receive no salaries, but shall be paid $10 per day for each day of actual service; that provision shall be made for the payment of water rates at the central office, dispensing with outside collectors. Full power of administration of the waterworks system is vested in the board. The salary of the superintendent is fixed at $5000 per annum, and he is required to report once a month to the board. Employes are to be appointed by the board upon merit alone, after an examination of a practical character, to the end that those selected may be especially qualified for the work required of them. Politics and religion are not to be considered nor allowed to have influence in the selection of employés, and dismissals are forbidden except for immoral conduct, insubordination, or incompetency. All moneys collected for water service are to be deposited in the city treasury in a fund to be known as the water revenue fund, which is to be subject to appropriations by the Council for the operation, maintenance, extension, betterment and enlargement of the water system, and for the purchase of other water properties, as may be desirable. It is further provided that the Council may establish a sinking and interest fund out of the water revenue fund for the payment of the principal and interest of the bonds issued for the purchase of the water system. To the Council is reserved the sole power to establish and regulate water rates.

In the main this ordinance appears to be an excellent measure, well calculated to serve the purpose for which it has been enacted. The provision for the payment of water rates at the central office is of doubtful wisdom and economy. The plan will necessitate the employment of extra help in the office, and one or more outside collectors will be needed to look after delinquents. The Council will probably find it expedient to provide for the payment of the principal and interest of the waterworks purchase bonds out of the water revenues. This question should at least be gone into very carefully, to the end that, if possible, the water system may not only be self-sustaining, but may pay for itself with the maturing of the purchase bonds. Such an achievement would indeed be a great triumph. At the present rates to consumers the water system is paying a large revenue. But there will be need for every dollar of this revenue, and no reduction of water rates will be safely possible for some time to come.

CODDLING CRIMINALS.

There are few countries in the world where crime prevails to such an alarming extent as in these United States. Americans take a just pride in their country's preëminence in wealth, industry, and material progress, but they have ample reason to feel a sense of shame and humiliation when they contemplate the prevalence of crime in nearly all sections of the country. And, furthermore, nearly all kinds of crime appear to be on the increase rather than the decrease.

Our laws against crime are, as a general thing, severe enough in theory, but there is a deplorable amount of laxness in the enforcement of these laws. In this respect we are behind almost every civilized nation on the globe. We allow the smart lawyer altogether too much latitude, and by reason of this he is enabled to juggle with the law, to make it, often, a jest and a byword, and by invoking its delays and its technicalities, to defeat the ends of justice in many cases. Judges are much to blame in this matter for exercising undue leniency and our higher courts are not blameless, for they often grant new trials upon grounds which appear trivial, and in other ways favor the lawbreaker when the evidence of guilt is conclusive. The law is often thwarted to such an extent as actually to protect the criminal against the consequences of his crime instead of dealing out adequate and just punishment. These things explain, in part, the prevalence of crime.

Then, it is a question whether we have not made prison life altogether too pleasant to subserve the ends of justice. A convict sent to prison for a term of years, if he behave himself, can have, so to speak, "all the comforts of a home." The work he is required to do is not laborious, the hours of work are not long, he has plenty of wholesome though plain food, a comfortable place to sleep, and kind treatment if he prove obedient to the rules and regulations of the institution. Thus the prison has been robbed of much of its terror for evildoers.

Another encouragement to crime is the mawkish sentimentalism that leads many persons—mostly women—into a false sympathy for criminals, which often tends to increase crime in some degree, by creating in the mind of the criminal the idea that he is something of a hero. A case of this kind—in which, fortunately, some silly women received a well-merited rebuke—is related in the Salt Lake Herald, as follows:

"A party of women with philanthropical inclinations presented themselves laden down with crackers, butter, preserved peaches and other delicacies, which they announced were for Jacob Champley, accused of abandoning his family and taking up his abode with a young woman, lured from home and friends under promise of marriage. Champley was absent at the time in court to answer to proceedings instituted by his wife. Jailer Shea learned that he had worked upon the sympathies of the women on the occasion of a previous visit and had represented himself to them as penniless, half fed and in a world of trouble not of his own creation.

"John Shea is a big-hearted fellow himself, popular with every inmate of the jail despite his direct, gruff style, and always ready to reach down into his own pockets when the occasion warrants. But his blood boiled when he heard the story. He had in mind a penniless, starving family of little ones that his lodge of Elks had rescued from hunger and freezing only a day or two before.

"'Do you know what that man is here for?' he demanded.

"'No, but he is alone and in trouble and we want to do what we can to make his lot less miserable.'

"'Well, I will enlighten you a trifle. That man is here for abandoning his wife to shift for herself; he ruined an ignorant young girl who thought he would marry her, and then threw her out without a single dollar in the world when he had plenty in his pocket. The girl is now aiding in bringing him to punishment. He had nearly $100 when he was arrested and has plenty of money now in the hands of Sheriff Naylor. He gets three good meals a day, plain fare to be sure, but plenty of it. If he wants these luxuries he can send out for them and pay for them with his own money.'"

This is but one case out of thousands. Flowers and knick-knacks are lavished upon all sorts of criminals by foolish women, while the victims of their crimes are generally forgotten, as in the instance above cited. The case of Mrs. Soffel, wife of the warden of the Allegheny-county (Pa.) jail, is another case of misguided sympathy on the part of a silly woman for a desperate criminal. As the dispatches have related, she aided two desperate men—who were under sentence of death for murder—to escape, and accompanied them in their flight from justice. As a result, this foolish woman is lying dangerously wounded, while the two men were fatally shot by the officers who recaptured them. Feminine sympathy for convicted murderers does not often go to so extreme a length, nor lead to consequences so serious. But the principle is much the same, whether mawkish sympathy for lawbreakers take the form of flowers and knick-knacks, or of saws to enable them to escape.

An Oakland dispatch to The Times, under date of January 31, told of the conviction, in that city, of Charles Merrill (a pal of W. F. Case, who is under arrest in this city, charged with highway robbery.) Merrill was tried on a charge of highway robbery, he and Case having held up a Chinaman and robbed him of $20. For some reason the jury returned a verdict of guilty of petty larceny. The dispatch adds that "Merrill's wife sat beside him, and he held his baby girl upon his knee during the trial." Of course, the "baby girl" was brought into court for no other purpose than to work upon the sympathies of the jurymen, and the trick was evidently successful, as the jury found the prisoner guilty of petty larceny instead of the graver crime of highway robbery. The judge who tried the case was evidently guilty of a grave indiscretion in permitting to be carried out so obvious a scheme to influence the decision. Neither the wife of the accused nor his "baby girl" was on trial, and neither should have been allowed to occupy a place beside him. Such tricks are cheap and contemptible. The fact that they are often permitted in our courts has no small influence in defeating the ends of justice, bringing the law into disrepute, and increasing the prevalence of crime.

Is it not about time to stop our coddling of criminals, and spend a portion of our sympathies upon the victims of their crimes?

CURRENCY.

The Chicago Tribune recently published a wild-eyed story about the troubles of a Chicago man who spent several weeks in San Francisco, during which time he was trying in vain to get rid of a new twenty-dollar bill, but nobody would accept it, as they were all suspicious of paper money. In the same article is another mythical story about a Chicago newspaper man who received a cent in change at the Los Angeles postoffice, and carried it about for three weeks before he had a chance to dispose of it, which he ultimately did where he received it.

Of course, this is a gross exaggeration. It is true that California, as befits a great gold-producing State, has always shown a partiality for gold as compared with paper money, and gold was freely circulated here during the period when many young people in the East had never seen a gold piece. Of late, however, with the great incursion of eastern people to the southern end of the State, greenbacks have become quite common here, although they are still far less used than gold.

As to the story about the penny, that might apply in San Francisco, but not in Los Angeles, where, of late years, the penny has come into quite general circulation, along with other Yankee notions. Twenty years ago you couldn't pass a nickel in California, but now our people are beginning to learn the truth of the old axiom: "Take care of the pennies; the pounds will take care of themselves." The old-timers still have a profound contempt for what they term "chicken feed," but a new generation is growing up, to whom the ideas and days of '49 are ancient history.

As between gold and greenbacks, there is much to be said in favor of the former, from a hygienic standpoint. If some of the torn and tattered paper money that passes current in this country were examined under a microscope, the owners would drop it like a hot potato. There should be some provision made by the government for a more speedy and convenient redemption of worn and soiled currency, by new notes, as a vast amount of disease is certainly circulated in this manner. The Bank of England never issues a used note. Even if it has only been issued an hour previously, it is destroyed as soon as received, and fresh notes are issued. Consequently, English bank notes have a fresh, clean appearance that is sadly lacking in so much of our American currency.

With the opening of that new electric line to Long Beach, there is no reason why this pretty little seaport town should not have a decided boom. Long Beach has all the delightful advantages for one of the most charming and popular seaside resorts in the United States.

Chicago is already arranging a series of ping-pong teas, ping-pong luncheons and ping-pong parties for Prince Henry's entertainment. In fact, it is believed Chicago has the ping-pong craze more than a craze to see the German Emperor's representative.

AS TO CITIZENSHIP.

The refusal of Judge Allen of the Superior Court, recently, to grant citizenship papers to an applicant who plainly showed himself to be incapable of discharging the duties of citizenship intelligently, is deserving of the highest commendation. It appeared, from the applicant's answers to the simple questions asked him by the judge, that he had no idea as to what the lawmaking body of the country is called; did not know how the President is elected, nor who elects him; could not tell who is at the head of the army or the navy; and had not read the Constitution of the United States. Judge Allen, under these circumstances, very properly deferred the granting of naturalization papers until such time as the applicant can show better qualifications for citizenship. It is time, as he said in stating the reasons for his refusal, to put a check upon the admission to citizenship of foreigners who "know absolutely nothing about our government and our history, and who have not even taken the trouble to read the Constitution." Judge Allen informed the applicant that he would be glad to make him a citizen of the United States, and welcome him as such, when he shall have read the Constitution and the Declaration of Independence, and shall have otherwise posted himself as to our form of government.

It is quite true—and "pity 'tis 'tis true"—that there are many native-born citizens who are hardly any better posted as to our form of government, our Constitution and our laws than the ignorant foreigner whose application Judge Allen very properly turned down. But this is no reason for the admission of more voters of that class. It is, rather, an argument against further increasing the number of ignorant voters. The standard of American citizenship should be raised, not lowered. The several States of the Union would do well to enact legislation tending to guard the ballot box more thoroughly than it is now guarded against the evils of ignorant voting. There is distinct need for such legislation in many, perhaps in most, of the States.

But if the Crown Prince of Japan comes over he will do well to first get a list of the presents which Prince Henry has purchased. We don't want an oversupply of diamond-studded cigarette cases and match boxes, nor more cuff buttons and stickpins than we know what to do with.

Speaking of heroes—what's the matter with John Powers, the Sheriff of Johnson county, Ark., who faced half a dozen bandits and emptied two revolvers before he dropped dead while defending the Bank of Clarksville? Not all of our heroes are in the ranks of the army and navy.

After the wily transportation agent has induced all the easterners who own corner lots or who are foot loose from any cause to locate in Los Angeles, he has discovered that virgin gold has again broken out in Canada.

What better argument for a bigger navy is there than the scandal of the Sampson-Schley controversy. A bigger navy, it is said, lessens the danger of war, and without war there would be no honors to divide.

Prince Henry's visit to the United States has started other titled foreigners to rubbering at Uncle Sam's domain. The Crown Prince of Japan now wants to come over and be jolly-good-fellowed.

It is said that Prince Henry's secret mission to America is the purchase of the Philippines. Why doesn't he try something easy? If he could only become interested in oil ——!

A Toronto couple were each presented with $1,000,000 as a wedding gift. Yet neither thought of exchanging the gifts for something else because they happened to be duplicated.

Yet, even with Miles and Schley out of the Presidential race, Bryan will hardly dare draw a long breath. There is that Watterson fellow of Kentucky fame yet to down.

"Put Me Off at Buffalo" appears to have received such a terrific blast from that blizzard that most people in that neck of the woods prefer to board a through train.

"Butcher" Weyler would make military training in Spain obligatory, but military training in Spain appears to have become a dead issue long ago.

Lord Sholto Douglas has purchased a saloon at Spokane. Think of titled aristocracy jerking a beer tap, just like any plain, common "barkeep!"

A Kansas man declares that he has four wives "to his credit." In California that would be a debit, but in Utah they would call it a balance.

Senator Ben Tillman seems to have a wonderful capacity as a gas bag, and a remarkable talent for letting it escape at the wrong time.

However, Senator Tillman cannot be charged with having brought those lockjaw germs into the Senate.

The oleomargarine bill has spread itself before the House for a three days' sampling.

It is quite evident that Lawyer Baker is the "Pitchfork" Tillman of Alturas.

The Boers again have the key to the situation, but wait till they find the keyhole.

Admiral Schley's loop appears to be widening as he travels from city to city.

Knoxville is also perfectly satisfied that Admiral Schley did it.

No one doubts that the brigands need the money.

A NO PARDON FOR YOUNGERS.

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Feb. 5.—The State Board of Pardon today refused to grant the petition for an absolute pardon for James and Cole Younger, and the two noted convicts have to remain in Minnesota, being now out on parole, but limited to the State borders.

FLINT ET GAGE.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 3.—"Flint and Gage Will Lock Horns," is the headline in a San Francisco paper. The general opinion here is that the Governor will lose not only his antlers, but his scalp, in the impending fight. Flint has become very strong here and hereabouts in the past few weeks, and the Gage men are down in the mouth.

The "push" about the Palace, who kiss Dan Burns's feet and sing the old tunes "lined out" for them, are getting fretful and fearful. The pot of politics is warming up and will boil pretty soon, and the gangsters don't know just what to do. The entire question with them is: "Is Gage a dead 'un?"

If Gage isn't dead on his feet in the gubernatorial race, he should take in his sign. The Times correspondent told a few days ago of the Gage campaign which has been started by Father Peter C. Yorke, the unfortunate Catholic priest who is such a thorn in the sides of educated Catholics, and whose mad craving for notoriety has brought such obloquy on his cloth.

Yorke, as was stated in The Times, advertised a lecture at Sacramento for the benefit of a Catholic church there. The subject of his talk was to be, "The Rights of Labor." Tickets were sold at $1 each, and the Clunie Theater was crowded.

The priest, instead of treating the subject promised, made a wild harangue for Gage. Yorke said that Gage had proved himself the friend of the workmen during the recent great strike here, and that the suffrages of labor were the rightful due of the present Governor. A claque in the lobby of the theater roared out its applause at every mention of Gage's name, and those in the front seats, who did not hear the machinery buzzing, imagined the Gage candidacy had received a popular ovation.

Sly old Dan Kevané, who runs Gage's political automobile, was hugging himself at the auspiciousness of the opening of his employer's fight for reëlection, and after the lights were out, he and a number of his cronies laughed over their liquor at the gold brick they fancied they had handed to the voters of the State capital. The story was too good to keep, though, and is now the joke of the State.

It seems that Kevane, under instructions from Gage, packed the Yorke meeting. The Sacramento Bee, the only newspaper of any influence in Sacramento, has consistently exposed Yorke as a charlatan and foe to honest labor; the Bee is also inimical to Gage on account of his political deviousness and debasement of his high office. The Bee, therefore, refused to advertise extensively the Yorke lecture, guessing rightly that instead of being a fair dissertation on labor, it would be an appeal to prejudice and a repetition of the old lies which have made Yorke the red-faced darling of the alleys of San Francisco, and the prophet of the walking delegates.

Three days before the priest was to strut the boards, Gage and his fellows found that Sacramento wasn't buying tickets for the lecture. The charity was entirely worthy, but not many laborers thought they could afford to spend the dollar which the ticket cost. Then Kevane, under orders from Gage, bought up a big job lot of tickets and had them peddled out at two-bits each to those who would buy, and gratis to others. The result was a full house, and with Kevane's gang whooping and yelling in the rear, Yorke was urged on to high and lofty oratorical tumbling in favor of Gage.

When Kevane went behind the scenes to shake Yorke's hand after the show was over, Yorke clapped him on the back and said, "Danny, you're hot stuff."

Old man Kevane grinned and murmured, "Well, that's what Henry says."

Now, let's see if either Dan or "Henry" is right about them being so warm. Gage's plan, as carefully detailed by Kevane to some friends, is to play the union card for all it's worth. He thinks that because Schmitz was made Mayor of San Francisco by the votes of union laborers, that is the only boat to row to victory. Kevane says, "Labor is the upper dog now, and we will wag his tail for him."

This is why Yorke has been hired to break the ice which has been gradually thickening about Gage, and which he rightly thinks must be melted now or never. Yorke is to speak early and often for Gage. The scheme is to get the priest, who never seems to work at his clerical job, invited to lecture on the "Rights of Labor" in the principal towns of all the counties of the State. Yorke is to work two levers—one with workingmen and the other with Catholics. He mentions the names of Gage and the Pope in the same sentence. First, he says that the San Francisco strikers and cutthroats were right; then he says the Pope said so, and finally, in the one breath, he attains his objective point by declaring that Gage was the Moses of the strikers; thus he makes Gage the friend of both laborer and Catholic; and, in his capacity of priest, the venal Yorke panders cunningly to the passions of his hearers.

So, with unionism as their battle-cry, the Gageites have begun the active combat to capture the still far-off convention. At present they see no further than the strike issue. But Gage knows he is in trouble. He knows that the unions are poor props to lean on. Even at the labor convention in Vallejo, a few weeks ago, when Gage received a feeble indorsement, there was a divided sentiment which warned the incumbent that if he wanted to hold his job he must hustle hard.

The fact is, labor will have none of Gage. It would be absolutely impossible to throw the vote of the unions of San Francisco to him. Many of the union men are already dissatisfied with Mayor Schmitz's actions, and it is assured that neither Gage nor Schmitz could hold them together. They know that Gage did nothing for them in the strike but pose on his own dunghill. The unions lost the strike and know it. Today unionism controls nothing here.

The Gage men talk of his strength in the northern counties. They reckon wrong, for Gage will get nothing from the hardy miners. Jake Neff dislikes and distrusts Gage, and Neff has more influence with the miners of the upper counties than anyone else. It is well within the range of possibilities for Neff to head an anti-Gage delegation at the convention. The miners are not to be led by the idle chaff of demagogues like Yorke and by the yelpings of the yellow press.

So much for the north. In the south, Gage grows weaker constantly. Today he would not get thirty delegates from Los Angeles county. San José is preparing to make a noble fight against him and his ring of rowdies there. Thomas Flint will show his strength in the election on May 19, at San José, to a degree which will paralyze the plug-uglies led for Gage by Johnnie McKenzie.

"Reform" is the watchword of the Flint men in Santa Clara, and it will be reform and not unionism which will win the contest for the Governorship. Flint is known as an honest man; he has never broken a promise or made a pledge which could not see the light of day. This is counting for him now. The two papers of any consequence in San José, the Mercury and Herald, are hot for Flint; the Gilroy editors are with him, and only the political looters and toughs of the valley abide with Gage.

Here, the Chronicle and Call are against Gage, the Examiner is for the unions, the Bulletin is now and always for sale to anyone, and the Post is, of course, with the railroad which owns it. Flint has the support of all the good and the strong, and certainly has every chance of success.

FREDERICK.

THE PLAYHOUSES.

THE BURBANK. "The Liars" is a cunningly-constructed comedy that scintillates with epigrammatic wit and that shows with true and subtle satire the folly of facile duplicity. The Frawley Company at the Burbank Theater yesterday afternoon in a special matinée gave it a worthy production, wealthy in setting and painstaking, earnest and efficient in acting. It is to be regretted that the one performance will limit the number who saw it to comparative smallness, and it is to be hoped that the success, both artistically and popularly, will lead to further productions of the drawing-room drama, which the Frawley Company seems admirably fitted to superbly accomplish. The members of the company are far more at ease in this kind of play, which is the best of light comedy, than they are in the strained atmosphere and stilted characters of melodrama. To one who had seen them only in the unreal theatricism of Gillette's "Secret Service" the talent and conservative energy displayed in this performance of Henry Arthur Jones's social transcript would be a revelation.

Charles Wyndham first produced "The Liars" in London, then John Drew had it in this country, and it has since been played by Henry Miller and Otis Skinner. It became known to Los Angeles last fall through a week's performance by the Frawley Company. It is one of the best specimens of modern dramatic writing, showing present life with enough satirical exaggeration to make the point prominent. The point in this instance is that one lie breeds another, and that one another and still another, until lies permeate the atmosphere. Incidentally it shows that a man who makes love to another man's wife is building a whited sepulcher and that if a man don't love his own wife someone else will. Its conclusion is suddenly and not plausibly happy, but it puts an ending to a vexing series of falsehoods and does it without scandal. The man who concludes the action happily is a minor character until the last act, and then he assumes the sympathetic importance of a disinterested peacemaker. In the delivery of his conclusive bit of worldly logic Daniel Frawley reached a natural climax of much power and showed his sense of situation by his direct speech. Except for his indistinct enunciation his playing was excellent, showing with fine inference the Celtic humor and dashing philosophy of the peacemaker. Mary Van Buren as the prevaricating wife was infectiously playful in the weak vacillation of the part and justified the flirt's reputation as one of the most beautiful women in London. H. S. Duffield as the domineering husband was a splendid villain, and J. R. Amory showed a delicious specimen of English impotence in a titled henpecked husband. Miss Crompton delivered a few lines as a lady's maid with a fine appreciation of minor character and an artistic sense both of its inherent importance and of its relative value, together with the ability to give it understandable expression. Benjamin Howard had a good chance to project his invariable self-complacency and his pseudo importance as the vapid lover.

THE LOS ANGELES. The Kirk La Shelle Opera Company with Maud Lillian Berri in the prima donna role, will present "The Princess Chic" for three nights and a Saturday matinée, commencing tonight.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Put at Large Interest.

It may be safely asserted that Mr. Carnegie ever got rid of $10,000,000 to a better purpose.—[Washington Star.

His Laugh Coming.

Perhaps that Hoosier girl will regret some day that she threw overboard one of the greatest electrical geniuses of the world.—[Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Taking His Turn.

It seems almost cruel to condemn the poor Indian to listen to the chat of the barber, but it is time that he took up his share of the white man's burden.—[Baltimore American.

Is it So Short?

Poor Marconi. Though able to bridge an ocean with his wireless telegraphy, he has not been able successfully to span the short distance to a fickle woman's heart.—[Philadelphia Press.

Filling Up.

Owing to the steady increase of population over the earth, three persons now occupy the space formerly allotted to one. It will soon be time to display the standing-room sign.—[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Give Him the Historical Novel.

Prince Henry is busy reading up on America, but we hope no one will place in his hands copies of that progressive daily, the Congressional Record, containing speeches by certain gentlemen that have broken into Congress.—[Chicago Post.

Texas Rises to Remark.

Prince Henry desires to see as much of the United States as possible in the two weeks he will spend on this side of the Atlantic. He could put in twice that much time in Texas alone and not see half of the big things in the State. —[San Antonio Express.

We'll Invent New Ones.

Prince Henry's welcome promises to be almost as spectacular as if he were Emperor. If the latter comes according to his rumored intention, some time or another, we shall have to invent a new set of ceremonies of honor in his behalf, all the old ones having been used up in the reception of his brother. —[New York Tribune.

A Caution.

Chauncey Depew is to come to the rescue with a resolution permitting President Roosevelt to accept a present from Prince Henry. It would be awkward if the Prince should change his mind after the adoption of such a resolution. Perhaps it would be better to let the bird have a chance to nestle first. —[Cincinnati Enquirer.

Illusory Impression.

Reports that Prince Henry is coming to "study the American people" warrrant an apprehension that the result of the study will be a conviction that the American people are overflowing with enthusiasm for the imperial house of Hohenzollern. There is also a fear that he will not continue the study long enough to learn that the affection is transitory.—[Pittsburgh Dispatch.

Chollie: I stood on the corner this morning and of all the hundreds of women that went by I didn't see more than three that I would marry.

Dolly: And I suppose the number that would marry you was a good deal smaller still.—[Somerville Journal.

STATE SNAPSHOTS.

The Corona blind tiger has begun a roar afresh.

Two million Philippine cigars are on their way over to this country to make things smoke.

Santa Cruz is in the throes of the curse of hard drink. An ice factory will soon start up.

Santa Ana comes in for a $15,000 slice of Andrew Carnegie's munificence for a new public library.

"Oakland's jail is crowded to the doors," says the Tribune. From the inside or outside, may we ask?

Harness thieves raided an Oakland store to the tune of $1000 worth of goods. They did not leave any trace.

Fishing for whales between San Pedro and Catalina is reported to be fine. Get out your fly-rod and try 'em next time you go over.

Josef Hofman, the kid pianist, is coming to Los Angeles. He will not distribute a lock of his hair to the ladies as a souvenir.

Santa Clara county also has a "last surviving member" of the "Charge of the Light Brigade." Why not call a reunion of them?

The Monrovia Messenger is to have a woman editor and proprietor. Here's hoping she will make things smoke even in the foothill town.

Sixty-eight hobos is the record of the Colton cops for one day's haul. That's right, neighbor. Gobble 'em all before they come to Los Angeles.

A Long Beach man rushed into the ocean because he had a "yearning for water." Possibly he has been running up with the "blind piggies" too strenuously.

A San Dagoe woman has won the woman's golf championship of Southern California. Occasionally San Diego does manage to wake up and do something.

A Redlands man has been converted from the error of using the rip-snorting gasoline stove. He sacrificed his home, however, with all its contents, but he acknowledged the corn.

And yet "Jack, the Hugger," continues to hang out around Oakland, but there are still a few girls who have never undergone the delightful ordeal of their first squeeze.

The "400" of Los Angeles are giving "guessing luncheons." You "guess" what the hostess is going to serve, and it turns out to be something else, the same as weather man's guess.

A Redding burglar had his supper cooked by falling on a stove while coming through a skylight. He was arrested and will be further done to a crisp when the judge gets this case.

"Always use soap once a day," says the 'Frisco Post. But there are a class of individuals who are continually using soap those with whom they come in contact right along, several times a day.

A 'Frisco professor who whaled the pupil unmercifully was rotten-egged by the other boys in the school. Occasionally a school teacher gets his just deserts when he oversteps the bounds of humanity.

Glendora will have a full-fledged telephone line in operation among the farmer inhabitants shortly, which the phone girls cannot corrupt and which the telephone trust cannot buy through and steal.

It is reported that the long-suffering Alturas case will go to the jury about three weeks. Providing, of course, that Raker and "Hiram" don't have it out with clubs, knives or six-shooters before them.

Fresno is thinking of protecting its walks, shoes, women's dresses and store windows by enforcing the expectoration ordinance. Fresno is not get civilized yet, one of these days. All she needs is a little time.

A gang of "boy bandits" of the type of "Little Legs, the Child Scout," "Knee High, the Boy Burglar," has been "run to earth" at San José. Ones can now venture out after dark without fear of being kidnaped.

An Oakland woman says a man should not believe the tattling tales told against her husband. Oakland women must put great faith in what their husbands have to say as an excuse when they come home late at night.

Andy Hackett of 'Frisco wants to be untied from his wife because she likes French restaurants with other men. Still, Andy should remember that a change of plan is better than going along and running up a big bill for poor hubby to pay.

'Frisco club women are pulling wires and getting things at sixes and sevens generally because one female says there are more important matters than civic-line questions to consider. We hope she refers to a dissection of some up-to-date cook book.

The "Quaker doctors" are making pocketbooks look sick at San Bernardino.

The Santa Barbara papers are handing out all sorts of aromatic bouquets at Hotel Potter over that big hotel deal. But Milo doesn't allow his head to be turned by these flattering attentions.

The women of Redding are up in a stump as to whether they can with propriety go to church and keep on their head gear. Several of the pastors in the town of "beauty unadorned," but others say if is up to the women to say what they consider is the proper caper in the matter.

An Alameda man saw a flock of geese near the shore and determined to slay a brace of the birds for a tasty some meal. He borrowed a shotgun, then crawled on his stomach for half an hour to get within shooting distance. Just as he was about to fire, a small boy appeared and drove the geese away over a hill. They were tame ones.

It is said that 3188 cars pass the corner of First and Spring streets every day. To those who are obliged to listen to the horrible creaking, squeaking, nerve-wracking, heart-rending, torturous, mind-destroying and profanity-producing racket, when most of the cars sail around the curve, it would seem that there must surely be twice that number.

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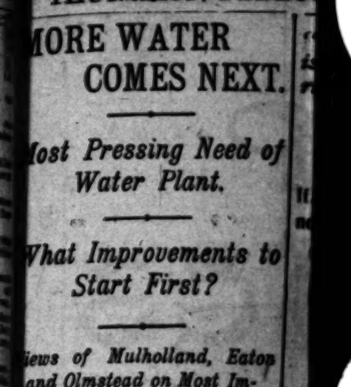

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MORE WATER.

"The city should get control of the Highland and the West Side water companies' plants as soon as possible," said F. H. Olmsted. "Two years ago there was a shortage in the water supply, and the first step is to preclude a repetition of this. The headworks contract should be carried out with all speed; but, in my opinion, the question of hydrostatic pressure is secondary to that of a bountiful water supply."

RAILROAD NOTES.

A Raymond and Whitcomb excursion party from the East is due here Friday next. It is a business men's mid-winter party, numbering about fifty, and comes over the Southern Pacific.

The next party will be what is known as the Mardi Gras party because it visits New Orleans at the carnival season and then comes on to the Coast. It will be here about February 15.

J. A. De Garmond, recently accountant in the passenger department of the Southern Pacific at Spring and Third streets, goes to the freight depot to assist William S. Pottock, general freight agent.

A. P. Yerrington comes in from Redlands to succeed Mr. De Yarmond.

W. A. Rule, brother of Ferd Rule of the Salt Lake route, a Kansas City banker who has been here for some weeks, leaves today in his private car for home. He will visit Phoenix, Ariz., on the way.

The excursion trains to Santa Ana yesterday were well filled. Hundreds of tourists paid the flourishing city a visit.

SKY-SCRAPERS.

Twenty-one Million Dollars to Be Expended on Tall Buildings in Chicago, Breaking Record of City.

BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.

CHICAGO, Feb. 5.—The action of the City Council in lifting the ban on tall buildings is expected to mark the beginning of the period of the greatest building activity in the history of Chicago. Structures to cost $21,228,000 have been planned for immediate construction, and $4,300,000 is to be put into other big downtown buildings in the near future.

WASN'T CURED.

Didn't Get Well of Anything.

"I spent three weeks with a friend in Dayton last winter. She was using Postum Coffee exclusively as a beverage at meals. I said, 'I thought you were so fond of coffee that you could not be induced to give it up.' 'Well,' my friend said, 'We got to liking this Postum Coffee, for it serves as a food as well as a beverage, and we have all felt so much better since leaving off the old coffee.'

"I learned to make the Postum and made it fine, so when I went home I began to serve it to my husband instead of the old-fashioned coffee. About a week afterward I asked him how he liked the coffee, and told him I had been trying a new kind. He says, 'I think it is most excellent. Is it Mocha or Java, or a mixture?' I told him that it was the famous Postum we had read so much about, and he most jumped from his chair in surprise, but the change has become a fixture and he will never give up Postum and go back to the old-fashioned coffee, for we not only like it better, but we feel so much better in every way." This lady's name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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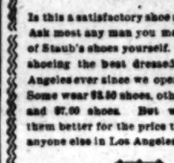

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Elegant serviceable mixture of wool and mohair, brilliant finish, suitable for tailor gowns; per yd..... $2.50

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

At an adjourned session late yesterday afternoon, the City Council named the seven men who will constitute the board of water commissioners, from a list of twenty-one names submitted by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce.

The ordinance for the management and control of the water plant, as amended at a caucus of six Councilmen on Tuesday night, was presented and adopted by the Council yesterday afternoon.

No ordinance against bull fights was presented by the Deputy City Attorney yesterday, as it was found that there is a State law covering the point.

Louis Schwartz, the tailor of the People's Store, pleaded guilty yesterday to four charges of petty larceny.

Neill Hurrah, a railroad man, accused of buncoing Montgomery Bros. out of a watch, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday for forgery.

Elmer A. Ellsworth brought suit yesterday against James F. Morley and the Los Angeles Baseball Association. Plaintiff alleges that defendant won't divide profits.

Francisco Martinez was convicted yesterday of attempting to commit burglary at Ballona.

The Los Angeles Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals asks the county to contribute $100 a month to "animal kindness" work.

William Kelly, alleged robber, pleaded not guilty yesterday and proposes to stand trial.

AT THE CITY HALL.

COMMISSIONERS NAMED FOR WATER DEPARTMENT.

ORDINANCE FOR MANAGEMENT OF PLANT ADOPTED.

Council Meets Twice in Adjourned Session and Transacts Important Business—Charter Provisions Limit the Powers of the Newly-elected Water Board.

Late yesterday afternoon the Council adopted the ordinance providing for the operation and management of the water plant, and named the following seven men to constitute the Board of Water Commissioners:

JAMES C. KAYS,
HERMAN SILVER,
J. M. ELLIOTT,
C. H. TOLL,
L. A. GRANT,
FRANK W. KING,
MAJ. H. T. LEE.

The Commissioners are expected to qualify and take charge of the plant at once. The board is composed of five Republicans and two Democrats, Kays and Elliott.

All the appointees are well known. James C. Kays is an ex-Sheriff and was a member of the board of arbitrators that made a valuation of the water plant in 1898; J. M. Elliott is president of the First National Bank; C. H. Toll is cashier of the Southern California Savings Bank; S. A. Grant is a prominent contractor; Frank W. King is a member of the firm of Hawley, King & Co.; Herman Silver was president of the last City Council, and Maj. H. T. Lee is a member of the law firm of Lee & Scott, special counsel for the city in the water litigation. All the men were greatly surprised last night when informed of their appointment by a Times reporter. Maj. Lee expressed a fear that he may not be able to serve, owing to his connection with the water litigation as special counsel.

These seven men were chosen by the Council in executive session, from a list of twenty-one names submitted by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon a meeting was held at the Chamber of Commerce rooms, at which the twenty-one eligible men were selected. The list was turned over to the Council after 4 o'clock, and that body at once went into caucus.

At the request of the Chamber of Commerce directors it was agreed that the list of twenty-one names should not be made public. The men chosen on the list of twenty-one and omitted from the water board, it was feared, would feel that they had been slighted and submitted to an unnecessary humiliation. At the conclusion of the secret caucus, at 6:30 o'clock, the Councilmen filed into the chamber for the second adjourned session of the day, and the names were presented and ratified. The ordinance as amended was then presented and adopted. Todd alone voting in the negative. In explaining his vote Todd said:

"On account of the stand I have taken that the selection of the commissioners should be left to the people, I am compelled to vote against this measure. However, I wish to say that I believe the commission appointed will reflect great credit on the Council."

On motion of Bowen the clerk was instructed to send a note of thanks to the Chamber of Commerce for their co-operation in planning for the management of the waterworks and the selection of commissioners. The clerk was also instructed to notify the commissioners of their selection and of the necessity of qualifying immediately.

AGREEMENT REACHED.

An agreement regarding the terms of the ordinance for the control and management of the water plant was reached at a caucus held at the City Hall Tuesday evening, at which Bowen, Blanchard, Allen, Pierce, Powers and Walker were present. Todd has definitely refused to play with his colleagues on the waterworks ordinance, as he says he is in the minority and his opinions do not count; Lauder says he voted for the report of the joint committee as it was prepared in the regular manner, although there are several provisions which are not quite to his liking. In the caucus yesterday Lauder made a strong fight against giving the superintendent of the water system a salary of $4800 a year as proposed. He declared that Engineer William Mulholland was content to work for the water company at a remuneration of $250 a month, and that he could see no reason why the city should pay a man of equal ability $400. McLain refused to meet in caucus Tuesday night for reasons best known to himself. He is extremely suspicious of the intentions of other members of the Council and evidently preferred to be unhampered by caucus procedure.

BOARD OF WATER COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED LAST EVENING.

The ordinance as it was finally reported yesterday was prepared by Councilman Bowen along the lines agreed upon by the six Councilmen at the Tuesday night caucus, being a slight modification of the ordinance originally submitted by Chairman H. W. O'Melveney of the joint committee.

THE ORDINANCE.

The ordinance is styled "An ordinance providing for the operation and management of the domestic waterworks system of the city of Los Angeles," and is as follows:

The Mayor and Council of the city of Los Angeles do ordain as follows:

Section 1. The domestic waterworks system of the city of Los Angeles shall be under the control of seven (7) commissioners, who shall constitute the Board of Water Commissioners. The members of said board shall be elected at the general municipal election to be held on the first Monday in December, nineteen hundred and two (1902.) Thereafter their successors shall be elected at each general municipal election thereafter held, such successors to hold for the term of two (2) years. No person shall be eligible for election as such commissioner unless he is, and has been for at least five years next preceding his election, an elector of the city of Los Angeles.

Said commissioners shall receive no salary, but shall be allowed $10 per diem for actual attendance at all regular meetings.

Sec. 2. The said commissioners shall at their first meeting elect a president of said board, and shall fix his term of office. The president of the board shall hold office until his successor has been elected, or until his membership on the board expires.

Sec. 3. The board may employ such engineers, inspectors, watchmen, bookkeepers, draughtsmen, clerks, collectors, workingmen and such other employés as shall be necessary for a proper discharge of their duties under this ordinance.

Sec. 4. The board shall establish all necessary rules and regulations for its government and for the performance of its duties, and for the regulation and conduct of its officers and employés, where the same may be necessary (except from laborers) exact a bond for the faithful performance of all their duties, in such sums as may be fixed by the Council. Said bond shall be approved by the Mayor and shall be filed in the office of the City Clerk.

Sec. 5. The board shall, within nine months from their qualification, provide for the collection of the water rates to the end that the same shall be payable at the office of the said board.

Sec. 6. The board shall hold regular meetings not oftener than once each week, but at least once a month, at a place and time be fixed by resolution entered on its minutes. No changes in place or time of regular meetings shall be made without a resolution passed at least two (2) weeks before the time the change is to go into effect. Such special meetings may be held as the commissioners may deem necessary, upon the call of the president, notice having been first served on said commissioners. All meetings shall be public. In every case where a power is exercised under this ordinance by the board, the vote thereon shall be taken by ayes and noes.

Sec. 7.—The board is authorized to appoint from the members of its clerical force a secretary who shall act without receiving any extra compensation therefor. The board shall keep and preserve a record of all its proceedings, and copies of all papers pertaining to the transactions of the board. The secretary of the board shall keep a record of all its transactions, specifying therein the names of the commissioners present at the meetings and giving the yeas and nays upon all votes. He shall perform such other duties as may from time to time be prescribed by the board.

Sec. 8. The Board of Water Commissioners shall have charge, superintendence and control:

(1.) Of all lands, reservoirs, pipe lines, conduits, mains, services, fire hydrants and connections, and other appliances owned by the City of Los Angeles and used in and about any connection with its domestic water system, and such others as it may hereafter acquire.

(2.) Shall establish rules and regulations for the collection of the water rates prescribed by the Council, and all other moneys to be received by said waterworks system, and shall designate an officer or employé who shall be responsible for their collection and safe keeping until paid over to the City Treasurer.

(3.) Shall promote, suspend or dismiss any member of the department, subject to the regulations hereinafter provided.

(4.) Shall provide for the maintenance of said system in complete order and repair, and for such displacements and betterments as may be needed from time to time, and shall make such extensions of said system as they deem necessary.

(5.) To perform any and all other acts or things necessary to fully administer the said domestic waterworks system of said city of Los Angeles.

Sec. 9. Said board shall appoint a civil engineer of not less than five years' practical experience, and one who has had at least five years' practical experience as a hydraulic engineer, who shall be designated the superintendent of the waterworks. Said appointee shall be the executive officer of said board. Said superintendent shall have control over all employés in the operating department of said domestic waterworks system, and shall have full control and management of carrying into effect all matters determined by the board. He shall hold his office at the pleasure of the board, and shall receive a compensation of $5000 per annum. He shall serve the board exclusively and shall not be engaged in any other business while he is in its service. He shall receive no compensation except his salary. He shall report to said board at least once a month the condition of the said system, and shall make such recommendation and suggestions as in his judgment will tend to the welfare of this department.

Sec. 10. Said board shall likewise appoint a skilled accountant, who shall be designated as the auditor of the domestic waterworks system. Said appointee shall prescribe the manner and form of keeping all accounts pertaining to said waterworks system, and shall exercise general supervision and control of the same. He shall hold his office at the pleasure of the board, and shall receive a compensation of $2000 per annum. He shall serve the board exclusively, and shall not be engaged in any other business while he is in its service. He shall receive no compensation except his salary. He shall report to said board at least once a month, and at all times upon demand of said board make a statement of the financial condition of said domestic waterworks system in such form as may be designated by said commissioners.

Sec. 11. In the appointment of all subordinates the commissioners shall make the same after such examination as they may prescribe. Such appointments shall be made upon merit alone, and said examinations shall be practical in their character, and shall relate to those matters only which will fairly test the relative capacity of the persons examined to discharge the duties of the position to which appointments are to be made. The political or religious affiliations of applicants shall be disregarded. No employé in this department appointed after the first Monday in January, 1903, shall be dismissed from the department, except for immoral conduct, insubordination, or unfitness to perform the duties of the position to which he has been appointed. Charges against members of this department must be formally made, and shall be finally passed upon by a board, consisting of the Mayor, City Attorney and president of the Council, after giving the accused due hearing, and under such rules and regulations and forms of procedure as the said Mayor, City Attorney and president of the Council may adopt to govern said hearings.

The superintendent and auditor and all laborers are excepted from the provisions of this section. Continuous service for five years last past in the employment of the Los Angeles City Water Company shall render such employé eligible for appointment hereunder, without further examination for the position so occupied by said employé.

Sec. 12. All moneys derived from the water system shall be deposited with the City Treasurer, and shall be known as the "water revenue fund," which fund is hereby created, and said fund shall be used solely and exclusively for the operation, maintenance, extension, betterment and enlargment of said domestic waterworks system, and for the purchase of other water properties or systems, from which there shall be appropriated by the Council such sums as may be deemed necessary to meet the requirements of section 16; excepting that should it be deemed advisable, the Council may establish a sinking and interest fund out of said funds, for the payment of bonds issued for the purchase of said plants by the city.

Sec. 13. The Council shall appropriate from said water-revenue fund such amount as it may deem necessary to meet the estimates of the said Board of Water Commissioners filed under section 16 hereof. Said fund shall be named the "water-operating fund," and is hereby created, and said fund shall be kept inviolate for the purpose of meeting the expenses incurred on account of said water system, and shall not be paid out by the City Treasurer on any other account, nor shall any of the moneys of said fund be used for any other purpose. Every demand drawn on the Treasurer on account of said waterworks system shall state that the same is for the purpose of the domestic waterworks system.

Sec. 14. All demands upon the water-operating fund and water-revenue fund shall be presented in the manner required, and be subject to all conditions contained in sections 200, 210, 211, 212, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220 and 221 of the charter of the city of Los Angeles.

Sec. 15. It shall not be lawful for any officer or employé, or either, of said department, to retain or use for any purpose any moneys which shall be paid on account of said waterworks system for service connections, or on account of any matter connected with said waterworks system, but all moneys so paid shall be deposited with the City Treasurer on or before the day of the next succeeding date of collection.

Sec. 16. The board shall, semi-annually, on the first Monday of March and on the first Monday of October of each year, present to the Council a statement of any proposed extensions, their location and estimated cost; and shall at the same time accompany the same with a list of supplies estimated to be required for the said water system for the ensuing six (6) months, stating in clear and explicit terms the quantities and kinds of articles needed and how and when they shall be delivered. After the Council has made the appropriation provided for in section 13 hereof, the board shall invite proposals for furnishing the said supplies by advertising therefor at least ten (10) days in the official newspaper, or in any other manner the board may provide.

The board shall provide, and the said advertisement shall state, such regulations as it may deem necessary for security to accompany all bids, the presentation and time of opening proposals, the terms upon which said contract shall be awarded, and security for performance thereof; but the said board may enter into contracts not in writing and without advertising, for the payment of any sum of money not exceeding $300.

The provision of Article XX, section 207, of the charter of the city of Los Angeles shall, so far as the same can be made applicable, apply to the provisions of this section.

Nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent said Board of Water Commissioners from presenting said statements and estimates at other times between the above-mentioned dates; but the same may be made at other times, in the discretion of said board, when conditions demand the same, in addition to the dates above mentioned.

Sec. 17. The said board shall have no power to determine the rates that shall be paid by the consumers for the use of domestic water in the said city of Los Angeles, but the power to regulate and establish said rates is hereby expressly reserved to the Council of the city of Los Angeles.

Sec. 18. The board shall, on or before the first Monday in December of each year, transmit to the Council a report in writing for the fiscal year. Such report shall contain a general statement of the receipts and disbursements made by said department, and statement of such betterments, additions and extensions as have been made, and such other matters as pertain to the business of the department during the said period. The said board shall make such recommendations to said Council, as to the future work of the department, as the said board in its judgment deems necessary.

Sec. 19. It shall be the duty of the Council to furnish suitable offices and furniture for the said Board of Water Commissioners and its employés, and all necessary stationery, and also a suitable workshop, yard, material, tools and machinery, including pumps, and all the necessary horses, vehicles and harness and stabling and feed for such horses, as may be necessary for the use of said department, the same to be paid out of the water-revenue fund.

Sec. 20. That the office hours of the superintendent of said waterworks shall be from 8 o'clock a.m. to 5 o'clock p.m., and that eight hours shall constitute a day's work of all officers and employés in this department, excepting watchmen, whose duty it shall be to be on watch in person or by substitute at all times, provided in case of emergency the head of this department may require extra work from its employés, at same rate of compensation for regular service.

Sec. 21. Each of said commissioners shall be deemed a city officer within the meaning of section 18 of article XX of the charter of the city of Los Angeles. No commissioner shall be interested, directly or indirectly, in any contract relating or pertaining to the domestic waterworks system. Any contract entered into, wherein any commissioner or commissioners shall have any interest, either directly or indirectly, shall be void.

Sec. 22. Until the qualification of commissioners to be elected as provided in section 1 of this ordinance, at the general election to be held upon the first Monday in November, 1902, the following-named persons, to wit, James C. Kays, Herman Silver, J. M. Elliott, C. H. Toll, L. A. Grant, Frank W. King, Maj. H. T. Lee, shall be and are hereby appointed as commissioners of said Board of Water Commissioners, to manage, control and administer said water system and enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

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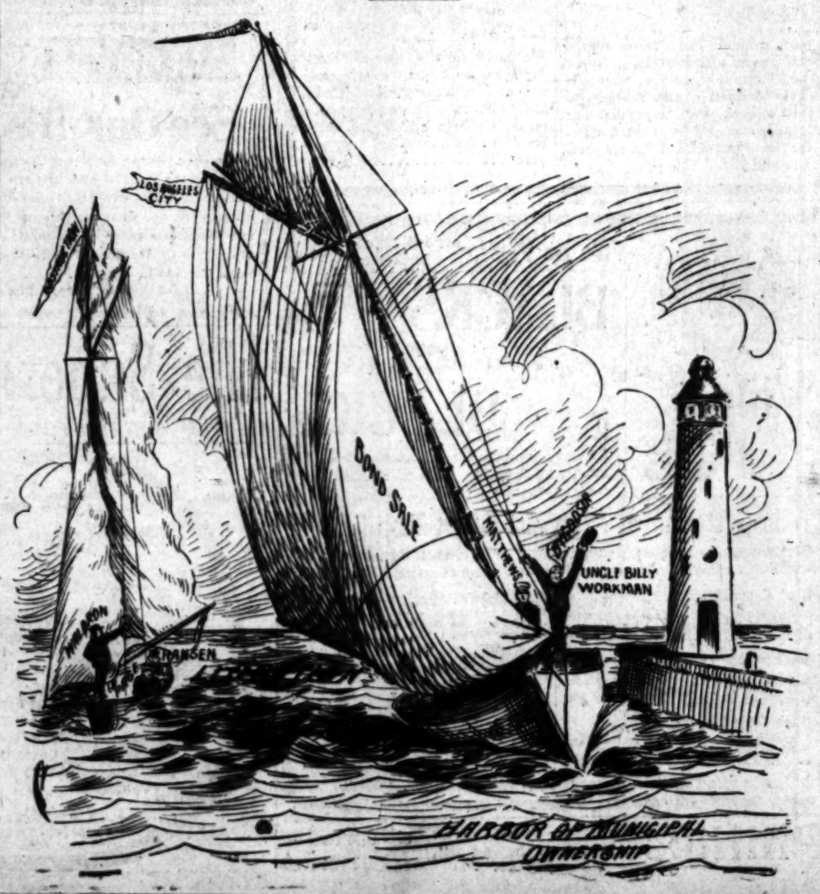

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say enough to express their pleasure at the spirit of cooperation shown by these representative men under such trying circumstances.

It is not generally known that a simple suit begun in the Superior Court to restrain the Council from transferring the water bonds to a John Doe corporation would have been fatal to the transfer. Had the anti-bond forces been apprised of the intended sale a few hours before it happened, the city would still be on the anxious seat. For this reason it became necessary to have the money and bonds actually in escrow and the plant in the possession of the city before the transfer to the bond company was made.

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AT THE COURTHOUSE.

MONEY FOR MORLEY; AIR FOR ELLSWORTH.

BASEBALL MEN'S TROUBLES KNOCKED INTO COURT.

Ellsworth Claims to Have Originated the Ball Idea for Chutes Park, but Says Morley Has Played Foul on a Co-operation Agreement.

James F. Morley and the Los Angeles Baseball Association were made defendants yesterday in a suit begun by Elmer A. Ellsworth, who alleges that Morley has played him false in the baseball venture at the Chutes Park.

Ellsworth believes he is entitled to half of Morley's holdings.

It is alleged in the complaint that Ellsworth it was who in May, 1900, conceived the plan of conducting ball games at the Chutes, and upon consultation learned from the park management that such an arrangement could be made. Thereafter Ellsworth says he told Morley of his plan, not disclosing place or parties, whereupon Morley proposed that they two coöperate to carry out the plan; that plaintiff cease negotiations in his own name; that he show the defendant place and persons and favorably commend him as a suitable man to promote the scheme, and that defendant thereupon do all the rest—the business to be conducted in Morley's name for the equal benefit of both. It was further proposed, it is alleged, that a corporation should be formed and that the plaintiff and defendant should therein and in the profits thereof share and share alike.

This proposal from Morley, says Ellsworth, was accepted, and the necessary disclosures made, pursuant to and in reliance upon the above agreement.

The association was soon formed, but Morley, it is alleged, obtained 52 per cent. of the capital stock and controls the whole business.

During the years 1900 and 1901 many games were played and thousands of dollars rolled in for Morley, but not one cent for Ellsworth, the allegation being that Morley has failed and refused to let him into the profits and denies that Ellsworth has any interest therein.

Suit is therefore brought to straighten out the alleged tangle and to enjoin Morley from disposing of any stock. Ellsworth wants an accounting for half the Morley stock and dividends and a decree declaring that Morley holds the property in trust for him. J. M. Stewart, Esq., is plaintiff's attorney.

Mr. Morley has little to say on the subject. He treats the matter very lightly and thinks there is no foundation for the suit.

QUEER DEFENSE.

SNICKERING BURGLAR.

Smiles and smothered laughter were indicative of the enjoyment that Francisco Martinez got out of his trial in the criminal court yesterday on a charge of attempt to commit burglary.

He thought his prosecutors were awfully funny people.

The complaining witness was José Antonio Machado of Ballona, who says that Martinez, a laborer on his ranch, tried to file into his house through a front window, on the night of January 5, so that he took a shot at him. Machado had been bothered by former attempts at burglary, which he had frustrated, but on the night of the shot he set watchers on the outside, who captured Martinez, when he tried to get away. The next morning they found a big file under the window, with which instrument the culprit had pried open the shutters on the window, and, when Machado heard him, he discharged his gun through the open window.

It was a narrow escape for Martinez; he dodged just in time—a few of the shot cutting his coat sleeve and lodging in his shoulder.

The defendant's defense was novel. He said he never had any intent of committing larceny, but that he was attracted to the house by one of the Machado daughters, who had asked him "to prove that he was a man."

This is denied by the daughters. They say they never spoke to him.

Every time Martinez thought of his intent yesterday, he had to snicker.

But he wasn't so gay when the jury found him guilty as charged. He will be sentenced Saturday.

Machado is an old Californian, whose realty makes him worth $100,000, if a cent, and he lives in a five-room 'dobe. It developed yesterday that on the night of the burglary episode, everybody was sleeping in the same room—Machado, two daughters and Mrs. Brunette, a friend—properly and decently distributed in three beds, however. The shutters, as exhibited to the jury yesterday, were remarkable for their resemblance to barn doors; they were very heavy, and made of redwood.

Martinez was defended by James D. Rymert, Esq., assisted by J. Irving McKenna, Esq.

MONEY WANTED.

"ANIMAL KINDNESS SOCIETY."

The Los Angeles Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has asked the county for a monthly allowance of $100.

In making the application the attention of the board is called to the fact that the last Legislature amended the law so as to authorize the Supervisors of each county to make an appropriation for such purpose not exceeding $150 a month. The society in this county is actively engaged in the work of investigating, preventing and bringing about the punishment of cruelty to animals, and to that end employs Humane Officer Oliver, whom the city pays a salary of $50 a month.

Now, contends Dr. F. A. Seymour, president of the society, such salary is not adequate for the work the Humane Officer performs, and the society desires to increase it. But the income of the organization is uncertain, comprising the city's allowance, money received as fines from time to time imposed for violation of law, and a small amount of dues from its members.

"This," says Dr. Seymour, "is not sufficient to provide for the needs of the work. In addition to increasing the salary of the officer, the society has numerous incidental expenses to meet. If we had the money, our good work could be advanced in many ways."

KELLY IN COURT.

SAYS HE IS NOT A ROBBER.

William Kelly, notorious in Los Angeles as one of the Myrtle-Case-Kelly trio, who is charged with robbing Maj. Klokke and Attorney Powers, was arraigned in the criminal department of the Superior Court yesterday. His pals, Charles Myrtle and Frank Case, pleaded guilty on Tuesday, and will be sentenced tomorrow morning. But Kelly proposes to stand trial.

Kelly's trip from jail to judge was conducted by the sheriff.

"No," said the prisoner in a husky whisper, like that of the stage villain, "I have no means to employ an attorney, and want the court to appoint one to defend my case."

F. H. Thompson, Esq., was appointed.

On the charge of robbing Maj. Klokke the defendant immediately pleaded guilty, but asked for Friday to enter a plea on the Powers hold-up.

Attorney Thompson urged the court to set the Klokke case for trial without delay, but the Chief of Police was reported to have preferred the trial of the Powers case first, and the matter was continued till Friday, to determine whether the defendant's request or that of the Chief should be granted.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

WIFE WINS. Judge York granted a divorce yesterday to Nellie Beauchamp on a cross-complaint charging non-support in a suit begun by her husband, Harry J. Beauchamp, who alleged desertion.

AGED EPILEPTIC. Warren Brashier, 72 years old, who has lived in the vicinity of Seventeenth and San Julian streets, was adjudged insane yesterday and sent to Highland. He suffers from violent attacks of epilepsy.

DAMAGES FOR HORSE. Judge Shaw gave judgment yesterday to H. D. Wilkerson for $100 against the Los Angeles-Pasadena Electric Railway Company. One day a horse belonging to Wilkerson happened to plant a foot on each of the rails while crossing the track, and a "short circuit" knocked the animal down. It died a month afterward from the shock.

KANAGY WILL. When Josiah J. Kanagy died in Long Beach on December 15, 1901, he left one twenty-five-foot lot worth $300, and bequeathed the property to eight heirs—$5 to each of seven and the residue to a daughter, Lorena Alice Kanagy, of Long Beach.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

SCHWARTZ A THIEF FROM BOYHOOD.

HE SAYS HE "JUST GOT INTO THE HABIT."

The Way He Got Away With the Plunder—Even Robbed His Friend—Neill Hurrah, a Railroad Man, Cheated Montgomery Bros. Out of a Watch.

Louis Schwartz, the tailor of the People's Store, pleaded guilty yesterday to four more charges of petty larceny. The man is one of the worst thieves that has ever come under the notice of the police department.

The detectives say he has been a thief from boyhood. He stole without reason and without excuse. He stole just because he loved to steal. The

way he says it himself is, "I got into the habit of it."

His is an interesting case in criminology.

While a young boy he was sent to the reform school at Whittier, where he learned the tailoring trade and various other things—mostly to be cussed.

He came out with that strange craving to steal that specialists agree is an evidence of a diseased mind.

Last May he served thirty days in the City Jail for some petty embezzlement.

Eighteen months ago he got a job in the tailoring department of the People's Store.

Judging from the amount of the plunder found in his rooms, he must have been stealing nearly all of that time.

It was so fatally easy.

He is believed to have done almost all the shop-lifting as he was leaving the store on his way home from work.

Sometimes he used to slip small articles under the skirts of his coat, and take them into the water closet, where he fastened them on the inside of his clothing.

Many of the articles, such as the shoes, were too big to have been carried this way. It is not known how he managed these.

The bulk of the big clothes basket full of stuff recovered, however, consists of ties, shoes and stockings and bottles of perfumery and the like.

Schwartz was not suspected by the people in the store until the police got him.

His last theft was a handsome black silk skirt worth $25. It had been sold and laid aside. When the time came to deliver it, the skirt was missing.

The next day a messenger boy came to the store with the skirt and wanted to get an exchange tag.

The detectives were notified, and the boy was questioned. He said that Schwartz had given him the skirt to take to the store, and told him to get an exchange tag.

When he was brought up in the Police Court Saturday, he told the judge that he wanted to get a suit of clothes with the exchange tag; he said he couldn't imagine what led him to do it. He vowed at that time that it was his first offense.

He said that there was nothing in his room.

When the detectives came to search, they found enough stuff to stock a small dry-goods store.

Schwartz then admitted that the stuff all belonged to A. Hamburger & Sons, and said he stole it just because he got into the habit.

Since his plea was entered in the Police Court yesterday complaint has been made to the detectives by a tailor friend of Schwartz, who says that a bolt of cloth found in the room was stolen from his shop. He says that Schwartz used to often come there and sit with him and sometimes was left alone in the store.

Schwartz will be sentenced on the four charges this afternoon.

Slick Railroad Man.

Neill Hurrah, who is now in the County Jail waiting examination on a charge of embezzlement, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday for forgery.

He is accused of buncoing Montgomery Brothers, jewelers, out of a watch.

All railroad men are required by their employers to have watches of reliable make, and the railroad companies are accustomed to stand good for the watches at the jewelry stores, the price of the watch being taken out of the pay of the men.

The other day Hurrah came to the store and asked for a watch, giving a forged application signed with the name of James Murphy. Montgomery sent a wire to the railroad office and learned that James Murphy was an employé, and then let Hurrah have the watch.

Hurrah has evidently been a railroad man, and knows the ropes.

He will be examined February 8.

ASPHALT WORKS ON THE ARROYO SECO.

EAST SIDE CITIZENS PROTEST AGAINST THE PROPOSITION.

Declare That City's Water Supply Would Be Contaminated and That the Unpleasant Odors Would Be a Nuisance—Will Present Petition on Friday.

People living in East Los Angeles are moving against the Texas and California Oil Company, which corporation has made application to the Fire Commissioners for privilege to erect oil and asphalt works on the Arroyo Seco, between Avenues 19 and 20.

A petition, asking that the privilege be denied, has been signed by property holders on Avenues 18, 19, 20 and 21, and on adjacent streets, and will be presented to the Fire Commissioners Friday.

The petition recites the following reasons why permission to erect the proposed works should not be granted:

"It would be a public nuisance, causing unhealthful and unpleasant odors to contaminate the air.

"It will pollute and poison the waters flowing down the Arroyo Seco and the Los Angeles River.

"It will greatly depreciate the value of property in this locality, making it unfit for residence purposes.

"The city of Los Angeles owns some thirty-eight lots in this neighborhood and would be a great loser if this application is granted."

F. F. Stetson, owner of the cannery near the proposed location, said yesterday:

"While I have other objections to the location of oil and asphalt works near my property, none are so great as the certainty that the water will be contaminated, not alone in the Arroyo Seco, but also in the Los Angeles River. The arroyo empties into the river only 2800 feet above where the city proposes to erect its new pumping plant, to increase the city water supply. The drainage from the oil works would be unavoidably into the arroyo, and from there it would just as unavoidably run into the river, to be pumped into the city mains. We think we have a good case, and expect to be successful in preventing the erection of the objectionable works."

THE OTHER SIDE.

When seen last night, J. A. Cook, manager of the Texas and California Oil Company, said:

"Our company owns the property upon which it is intended to build a 200-barrel plant, and they can't stop us, for we will be in conflict with nobody. Our plans are all made, and arrangements completed for marketing the product.

"As to the contamination of the city's water, there is not the slightest danger of any such result. Our plant will be 700 feet from the river, on gravelly soil, and any waste that might escape will be absorbed. No sulphuric acid will be permitted to escape, as it is used over and over. Our works would not be a nuisance, but would be a benefit to the city."

MINES AND MINING.

SAGUARA SILVER MINE NOW PUZZLES EXPERTS.

KIDNEYS OF ORE FOUND, BUT OWNERS CONFIDENT.

Sunset Camp Has Been Opened Up Again—Miners of Northern Arizona Welcome Coming of Storm—Cripple Creek Wants Water.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PRESCOTT (Ariz.) Feb. 4.—The Saguara mine, near Wickenburg, from which such enormous values in silver were secured on the surface, has proved a puzzle to the mining experts. A bond was taken on the property and a working shaft was started. At a depth of only about ten feet this shaft passed through the surface ore and the miners struck into the ordinary granite rock of the country. In blind hope, however, the sinking was continued. The faith of the miners has been rewarded, for at the depth of 110 feet the shaft is again in ore much of the same character as found upon the surface. The size of the new ore body has not been determined, and it may prove only a kidney, but the owners are confident they have a benanza.

Sunset camp, in Northwestern Maricopa county, is being opened up again. To the excellent five-stamp mill has been added a Standard concentrator, and the mill is being run as much as is possible, limited only by the water supply. The property is now owned by Devine brothers. They have discovered a thirty-foot chute of ore on the 100-foot level that will run $12 in gold. In the same vicinity a number of other claims are being worked, the ore being packed on burros to the Sunset mill. Much of this ore runs high in copper, necessitating the installation of a concentrator. The nearest railroad station is Wickenburg, more than forty miles distant, over a waterless plain, and many are the difficulties to be overcome by the miners in the Harqua Halas.

The report that work has been begun on the Acme Company's smelter at Wickenburg is premature. There is no doubt that Wickenburg offers exceptional advantages for the erection of a custom smelter, and the residents of that camp are hopeful of securing at least a small furnace before the end of the year.

The miners of Northern Arizona are joyful over the coming of the storm. Almost all over Yavapai county snowfall has been reported, in some places to the depth of three feet. Scores of mines have been running on short time owing to lack of water, and at least a dozen of the reduction works will be enabled to double their output with a plentiful water supply. Placer miners, too, are preparing to wash the gulches and thousands of dollars' worth of placer gold will be taken in by the merchants of Prescott within the next sixty days.

HERE AND THERE.

HIGH PRICE OF WATER.

Local prospectors who have come lately from the Cripple Creek district of Arizona, report that the scarcity of water is fast becoming a serious question. Water has been so scarce in some places that as much as 15 cents a bucket has been charged. Nearly all the mines on Gold, Bull and Ironclad hills have closed down. The breaking of the Victor dam last summer made it impossible for the towns tributary to store enough water during the rainy season.

AGAIN WORKING PECK.

The Peck mine, in the Northern Bradshaw Mountains, was one of the great silver mines of Arizona thirty years ago, and has a record of hundreds of thousands of tons' net production. The property is now owned by Gen. Eagan, late Commissary-General. He has leased it to miners who have found a rich deposit of silver ore comparable with the best known in the palmiest days of the mine.

STRIKE WHILE GRADING.

While grading across the Wizard mine in Big Bug district, south of Prescott, the workmen on the new Bradshaw Mountain railway cut a magnificent ledge of gold ore, eight feet in width and 400 feet long. The graders claim the ore that they cut out, and have piled it up to be taken to mill at some future date. Their dump is worth at least $30 to the ton. The Wizard property is owned by J. P. Dillon of Prescott, and P. O'Donnell.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCKS.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 5.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alta	5	Mexican	32
Belcher	8	Occidental Con	3
Best & Belcher	23	Ophir	85
Caledonia	50	Overman	13
Challenge Con	17	Potosi	14
Chollar	12	Savage	10
Confidence	80	Sierra Nevada	70
Con. Cal. & Va.	135	Silver Hill	49
Crown Point	7	Standard	320
Gould & Curry	13	Union Con	32
Gray Eagle	7	Utah Con	3
Hale & Norcross	6	Yellow Jacket	7
Justice	14		

DOES US PROUD.

Nothing in England to Compare With the Los Angeles State Normal School, Says "Schoolmaster."

President E. T. Pierce of the Los Angeles State Normal School, experienced a surprise yesterday, when he received from Scotland a request for a copy of the Normal School annual catalogue. The request came from Allan Arniel, honorable secretary of the Educational Institute of Scotland, and inclosed clippings from the Schoolmaster, published in London, concerning this catalogue, in which it is said:

"One has a glimpse in such a book—a mere calendar of a training college—of the American temperament, clear, methodical, daring and delightful in innovation; a temperament whose efforts are shaking already the more sluggish blood of the older nations."

Of the Los Angeles Normal School the Schoolmaster says:

"In the matter of building, grounds, laboratories, amplitude of provision in every department of a training college, the elaborate completeness of its practice schools and kindergartens, we know of nothing at home to compare with it. There is a completeness about their arrangements that rather dwarfs our own nippling developments."

It must be borne in mind that these comments are from a high-class educational publication of London, Eng.

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Take notice. A very fine five-acre orange grove, bearing. Want Los Angeles income. Will assume. Nance & Miller, 216 Currier.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Steals an Overcoat.

The residence of W. C. Leonard, No. 813 Carondelet street, was burglarized early yesterday morning. The thief made a hurried search through several rooms, burning matches to light his way, and stole an overcoat.

Jewelry Sneaked.

A sneak thief entered the room of Miss Fannie Kinnamon, No. 329 North Main street, yesterday afternoon and stole six rings and a watch chain. The jewelry was valued at about $50. The loss was not discovered until late last night.

Stitch Recovering.

J. H. Stitch, a saloon-keeper, who was injured in a collision between a Southern Pacific switch engine and a street car at Naud Junction, Tuesday afternoon, will not be permanently disabled, and his recovery is only a question of time. He is at the St. Agnes Hospital.

Fireman Injured.

Lieut. Frank Lieva of the fire department, a member of the No. 1 hose company, East Los Angeles, was painfully bruised yesterday in attempting to board a rapidly-moving electric car. He jumped for the step, but missed his footing, and was thrown to the street, striking on his shoulder. Lieva had been off duty until recently, because of injuries received at a fire.

McKinley Industrial Home.

The following subscriptions have been received to the fund for the McKinley Industrial Home for Boys: Valentine Peyton, $150; A. C. Haws, $50; Brosee Bros., $10; R. Magee, $5; Orr & Hines, $5; G. A. French, $2; Mrs. M. L. Bates, $5; G. M. Guinn, $5; C. M. Staub, $25; F. W. Hendel, $5; J. G. Staub, $2; previously acknowledged, $3017; total, $3281.

Thirty Miles of Hose.

Yesterday the Harper & Reynolds Company received two carloads of rubber hose, purely an American product, manufactured by the Bowers Rubber Company of San Francisco. It will be of interest to know that some of the rubber grew in the Philippine Islands. There are over 150,000 feet, enough to reach from the top of Mt. Lowe to the ocean, and it made a striking display, drawn by big truck teams.

Smuggled In.

Four newly-arrived Chinese were yesterday arrested by J. D. Putnam, United States Chinese Inspector, near Indio, for being illegally in the United States. They had all been supplied with American clothes, but could speak no English, and would make no explanation in Chinese or otherwise of their presence in this country. They had evidently just been smuggled in from Mexico. They will be tried before Commissioner Van Dyke Saturday.

Kicked Off a Bicycle.

C. W. Unger, who lives at No. 637½ South Olive street, was a victim of a peculiar accident near First and Spring streets yesterday afternoon. He was riding his bicycle, and attempted to pass a double team, hitched to a heavy truck. To avoid another team he had to ride very close to the horses. One animal kicked, and a shod hoof struck Unger on the knee, knocking him almost under the wheels of another wagon. He will be lame several weeks.

Runaway in Tunnel.

A runaway in the Third-street tunnel at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon resulted in painful injuries to F. H. Johnson of No. 1815 Husted street, and almost total demolition of his carriage and harness. Johnson had reached the center of the tunnel when his buggy collided with a street-cleaner's hand-cart standing in the middle of the road. This frightened the horse, which sprang to one side, overturning the buggy, throwing the driver to the ground and upsetting the street-cleaner, who was working near by. As the horse dashed east in the tunnel Johnson clung to the reins and was dragged some distance before he released his grasp. The horse was not stopped until it had turned north on Broadway with the remnants of the vehicle dragging at its heels.

BREVITIES.

Campbell's Curio Store will open in their new quarters Thursday morning, February 6, No. 329 South Spring street, two doors south of old stand. Come in and see the new store.

Rev. Dr. George Thomas Dowling's lecture on "Our Bible, and Where We Got It," will be delivered in Christ Church next Sunday evening, instead of tonight.

Meneley Quartette will give their second concert at Temperance Temple, Temple and Broadway, 8 p.m., this evening.

Henry J. Kramer's next juvenile beginner's dancing class begins Saturday, February 15.

Dr. Michener has resumed practice at 307 South Broadway.

Obliging waiters, tasty cooking, at the Southern.

The literary society of the Woodbury Business College yesterday afternoon elected officers as follows: President, M. E. Alber; vice-president, Miss Flynn; secretary, Miss Polsen; critic, C. H. Cunningham.

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Owens River Valley.

Yesterday marked progress in the work of the William Penn Colonial Association of California, as eighteen persons left Long Beach to become settlers at Owenyo, on the C. & C. R. R. Among the number that are now on their way are the following-named well-known citizens: John S. Wilson, John Wilson, V. E. Wilson, A. M. Bonner, Frank M. Wilson, Robert White and two grown sons, also a Mr. Macy, recently from Iowa, and others. The families of most of these named accompany them. The secretary of the company, Mr. Cox, with offices in the Hamm Block, has recently returned from a trip to Owenyo, where he had gone to order lumber and building material for settlers. He also reports that the outlook for the colony is quite encouraging.

Spring Styles for 1902.

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TERRIBLY SCALDED.

Engineer at Hotel Angelus Seriously Injured Yesterday Morning While Blowing Off Steam at a Boiler.

George Gregg, engineer at Hotel Angelus, was terribly scalded in the hotel engine-room at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, and is now in a hospital so much injured that he will not be able to resume his duties for several weeks. It is the custom of the night engineer to blow off the steam in one of the boilers every morning, and yesterday, when he tried to do so, he found something wrong with a valve.

Gregg was summoned and tried to shut off the flow of steam. While he was near the pipe it blew off near the valve, surrounding him with live steam. He jumped for the valve, and although the steam was scalding his hands and feet, he closed it. Then it was found that he was seriously injured. Both hands were parboiled, the skin dropping off like a loose glove. His feet and legs were also scalded. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital for emergency treatment, and later removed to the Good Samaritan Hospital.

SAY NEGLECT CAUSED IT.

Coroner's Jury Charges Christian Scientists With Responsibility for Death of One of Their Members.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] NORTHVILLE (Mich.) Feb. 5.—Lyman Mepslead, an old citizen of this place, died Saturday, but owing to the fact that he was a Christian Scientist, the signature of a doctor could not be obtained to the death certificate. Judge Webster and Prosecutor Hunt began an investigation, which resulted in the summoning of a Coroner's jury, which yesterday rendered the following verdict:

"We find deceased came to his death as a result of a complication of diseases mostly acute in form and character, and that his end was untimely and most miserable, owing to his being denied the medical supervision and treatment which was necessary.

"We find inhuman treatment accorded said deceased was by a so-called sect of Christian Scientists, in disregard of all basic and physiological laws."

EMPIRE OVER SEA.

British Shipowners Realize That United States is Soon to Enter into Race for Supremacy.

[BY THE NEW ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.] NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—British ship owners have been watching with great interest the efforts of the United States to foster the growth of the merchant marine, says a London dispatch to the Herald. Particularly has their attention been devoted to the progress of the Subsidy Bill in Congress.

It is not too much to say that they believe, if this bill becomes a law, it will deal a severe blow to British shipping.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Following were the marriage licenses issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

Chester W. Brown, aged 23, a native of Maine, and Helen H. Louis, aged 25, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

John H. Finney, aged 43, a native of Virginia, and Edmonia G. Woods, aged 24, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

Alton L. Morse, aged 42, a native of Ohio, and Jennie Rogers, aged 42, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles H. MacPeeley, aged 30, a native of Indiana, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Rose M. Connelly, aged 23, a native of Illinois and a resident of Shorb.

Charles J. LeRoy, aged 46, a native of Ohio, and Charlotte Fitzgerald, aged 27, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

B. L. Chambers, aged 28, a native of Iowa, and Annabelle Straw, aged 29, a native of Ohio; both residents of San Jacinto.

Joseph Robina, aged 28, a native of Arkansas, and Catherine Frendenberger, aged 23, a native of Germany; both residents of Los Angeles.

BIRTH RECORD.

CHASE—February 2, to the wife of Lucien K. Chase, a nine-pound boy. Mother and child doing well.

LACEY—In this city, February 4, to the wife of John E. Lacey, a daughter.

DEATH RECORD.

LUTHER—At No. 414 North Avenue Twenty-three, February 4, 1902, Nancy M. Luther, a native of Maine, aged 58 years. Funeral from John R. Paul's parlors, Thursday afternoon, 2 o'clock, February 6. Friends invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

CONGER—At No. 122 South Workman street, February 5, 1902, Joseph Conger, a native of Ohio, aged 80 years. Funeral from John R. Paul's parlors, Friday afternoon, 2 o'clock, February 7. Friends invited to attend. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

GREBE—In this city, February 5, Mrs. Joseph Louise Grebe, a native of Germany, aged 62 years 6 months. Funeral Friday, February 7, at 2:30, from St. Paul's Pro-cathedral, Olive street, between Fifth and Sixth streets. Friends invited.

SHORT—At her home, No. 658 Kohler street, February 3, 1902, Florence Augusta Short, aged 36 years. Funeral from St. Vibiana's Cathedral, Wednesday, February 5, 8:30 a.m. (San Francisco papers please copy.)

SPRINGER—At Moneta, Cal., February 4, 1902, Levi P. Springer, aged 69 years. The funeral service will be held at the parlors of Breese Brothers, Broadway and Sixth, Thursday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Interment Edwardsville, Ill. (Pasadena papers please copy.)

WHITTIER—In this city, February 4, 1902, Joanna H. Whittier. Funeral Thursday, February 6, 2 p.m., from the residence of her son, Henry F. Whittier, No. 927 South Hill street. Friends invited.

BROSE—At his late home, No. 727 Carondelet street, Gustave Brose, beloved husband of Mary Mansfield Brose. Funeral from residence today, February 6, 2:30 p.m. Friends invited.

LABORY—At his late residence, No. 134 South Bunker Hill avenue, February 5, 1902, Burt Labory, aged 17 years. Funeral notice later.

GREBE—February 5, 1902, Mrs. Louise Grebe, at her home, No. 243 Ohio street. Funeral will be conducted from the Pro-cathedral Church on Olive street, between Fifth and Sixth, on Friday, 2:30 p.m. Stanton W.R.C. will conduct ritualistic services at the home at 1:30 p.m. By order of

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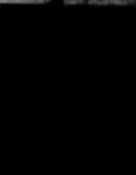

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